

SOVIETS REFUSE TO FREE POLICE SEIZED IN BERLIN

Reject French Protest That 19 West Germans Were Kidnaped Victims

BERLIN, Thursday, Sept. 9 (AP) — The Soviets rejected early today a French protest of the "double cross" kidnap of 19 Western Berlin policemen. The French protest, made by Maj. Gen. Roget Noiret, deputy French commander in Berlin, demanded the release of the 19 Germans. They were snatched at dawn yesterday by Russian machine gunners and eastern sector Berlin police while traveling under a Soviet safe conduct guarantee from the besieged city hall.

The Russian deputy commander, Lt. Gen. M. I. Dratvin, re-

On the Threshold of a New Experience



Staying close by their mothers, these first grade beginners in the Washington school yesterday got a preliminary peek at their building before starting classes today. The boy is James T. Conklin, 6, with his mother, Mrs. Herman E. Conklin, 260 Walnut street, and the girl is 6-year-old Louise Semenza, keeping a steady grip on the hand of her mother, Mrs. Ida Semenza, 241 Union alley. Approximately 3400 other Pottstown youngsters began school yesterday.

MYERS PEEVED, CALLS MEETING OF COMMISSION

Chairman Vows He'll Give Public Facts on Police Sergeancy Tangle

Indignant and bewildered by recent hectic developments in the police street sergeancy contest, Herbert S. Myers, chairman of the Civil Service commission, last night called for a special meeting of his group.

The three-man board will meet at 7:30 o'clock tonight in borough hall.

"I want to find out what's been going on around here," "Pop" Myers thundered yesterday, only half an hour after he returned from a vacation in the Poconos.

"I'm in the dark, and I want to be enlightened. You can rest assured that everything I find out I'm going to tell the public. I'm a public servant and I don't have any secrets."

BRIEFLY, THIS is what happened since the past Aug. 27, when written examinations for the post were given. Myers left on vacation immediately after the results were announced.

Patrolman Paul W. Bridgman was rated highest, with an overall score of 90. Motor Patrolman Lewis M. Borgiet received 89 points while Motor Patrolman Thomas A. Lawler was given 85 points.

On Sept. 1, after "someone" complained about the marking of a question on suicide, commission members George H. Saylor and S. Leonard Miller rechecked the papers.

They announced a mistake had been made, and the new ratings were—Borgiet, 91; Bridgman, 88; and Lawler, 87.

Then, this week, Bridgman and Lawler filed a letter with the commission, asking for the 10 extra points they said were due veterans on the force, under State law.

Previously, Saylor, Civil Service commission secretary, had declared that they were not entitled to the extra credit, because the examination was for promotion, not appointment to the police force.

MYERS ASSERTED yesterday, however, "It's the law, and they should have the extra ten points, they ought to get them as far as I'm concerned."

He added, "We must have been misinformed somewhere along the line. I'm going to do some investigating of my own and find out who gave the members that information."

Myers declared that Saylor and Miller had told him Lawler and Bridgman were ineligible for the veterans' credit.

The commission chairman also was angered because the other two members had re-marked the papers and had announced the new results while he was out of town.

"It would only have been courteous to wait until I got back," Myers bristled. "I knew I'd be back in town tonight (Wednesday), and there (Continued on Page Nine)

Patterson Quits Post As Secretary of 'Y'



VICTOR F. PATTERSON
... leaving YMCA here.

Was at Odds With Board; Baird to Succeed Him

Resignation of Victor F. Patterson, general secretary of the Pottstown YMCA since Jan. 1, 1942, was announced at last night's meeting of the board of directors. It will be effective Sept. 15.

The board promptly named James F. Baird, director of boys' work, to replace Patterson. Baird has been on the local YMCA staff for 25 years.

The resignation was agreed upon mutually, board members said. Patterson, who was attending a "Y" meeting in Chambersburg last night, had told his staff earlier that he was resigning and added that he had been considering the move for six months. His future plans were unknown last night.

The resignation followed a long difference of opinion between Patterson and the majority of the board about plans for renovating and expanding the facilities of the 28-year-old building at King and Evans streets.

The past May 12, the board rejected a proposed \$200,000 program for renovating the entire four-story building from the basement to the fourth floor.

Patterson had presented the plan, not as a luxury, but as a necessity for the organization.

But the board turned it down, citing the high and increasing costs of construction and the relative smallness of the YMCA's financial reserves.

IN SUBSEQUENT reports to the board, the general secretary continued to emphasize what he saw as the vital need for prompt action on a renovation and expansion program.

An elaborate layout of photographs, depicting an up-to-date YMCA, was displayed prominently in the lobby, and during one week a "model room" was exhibited to residents.

Present plans call for a series of gradual improvements, board members said, with the construction of fire doors and exits requested by the State as one of the first jobs.

With an eventual major financial drive, a virtual necessity, board members said, privately it was felt that the campaign might be conducted more effectively by a man who had spent most of his life in Pottstown, such as Baird.

PATTERSON'S PROGRAM for improving the building met its greatest test this winter when the Community Chest drive, and consequently the YMCA's allotment, fell far short of the original goal.

The Y secretary volunteered to lead a post-deadline drive, but the suggestion was vetoed. The change in the top office of the group came with the drive for (Continued on Page Nine)

CO-ED IS INJURED IN CRASH HERE

Car Thrown Into Skid When Struck by Truck Passing a School Bus

Skidding wildly, its left side completely wrecked, an eastbound automobile was spun off the road yesterday morning after it was sideswiped by a heavy truck attempting to pass a westbound school bus on West High street.

A young West Chester State Teachers college co-ed was injured slightly in the crash.

According to Byron L. Knepp, Gilbertville RD 1, the driver of the truck, the school bus began to move to the left as he attempted to pass it near Berks street. Unable to slow down fast enough, he swung to the left to avoid a collision.

As he did so, he drove directly into the path of a car driven east on High street by James R. Wilson, Pottsville, who was driving three girls to school at West Chester.

WILSON CUT HIS wheels hard to the right, but the left front end of the truck ripped along the length of the car, crushing the door and ripping off the rear fender.

The impact threw the car into a skid. Wide black tire marks streaked almost 60 feet along the highway, before the spinning car stopped on the shoulder of the road. Knepp's truck brought up on the left side of the highway after the collision.

Injured in the crash was Ellen O'Brien, Pottsville, who suffered a slight laceration of the left side of her head and a bruised left arm. She was treated at the office of Dr. Jesse G. Hefner, Pottstown physician.

With Miss O'Brien in the car were Joan and Kathleen Ryan, also of Pottsville, who were uninjured. The heavy steel bumper and left front fender of the truck were crushed and the left front tire was gouged deeply.

Paul Amole and John Cane, both 21 and both of Douglass RD 1, were treated at St. Joseph's hospital, Reading, by yesterday morning, after being dumped there by the (Continued on Page Nine)

Pottstown to Get Overflow Of Crowded Rural School

Upper Pottsgrove township Eighth grade students will enter Pottstown Junior High school today.

This was announced last night, after the Upper Pottsgrove school board held a special meeting, brought on by unexpected overcrowding yesterday as the consolidated township school opened.

One hundred forty-five pupils turned up, compared to the past year's 120.

In addition, there were 48 First and Second grade boys and girls, trying to squeeze into a room with only 34 desks.

COLLIER RHOADS, school board secretary, explained that the First and Second grade room was the most crowded. The other two-grade rooms were not congested.

With the departure of the Eighth graders, the First grade youngsters will have their own room, while the remaining grades will be regrouped, two to a room.

Only 15 Eighth grade students will begin their studies in Pottstown today, Upper Pottsgrove's Ninth to 12th grade students

already are assigned to the Pottstown school system.

Fuition costs for out-of-town students studying in borough schools are divided between the township and the State.

Christopher Hollenbach Jr., president of the Upper Pottsgrove township school board, was in charge of last night's special meeting in the school.

More Rain Forecast For Borough Today

The area is due for one more day of cloudy and humid weather with scattered showers before it clears up and becomes cooler tomorrow, the weatherman said last night.

Yesterday afternoon's light rain climaxed five days of muggy weather.

Theatrical Stock Company Formed By Manthorne Players; Plays Set

Organization of the Florence Manthorne Players into a theatrical stock company was completed yesterday following a meeting of the dramatic group Tuesday night in the studio at High and Hanover streets.

Mrs. Florence Manthorne was named president, Miss Helen M. Bell, treasurer, and Howard Long, recording secretary.

These officers will hold office for three months, at the conclusion of which officers for the next year will be elected. Bustly meetings will be conducted at the studio on the first Tuesday of each month.

The Fall dramatic season will open at the auditorium in Ringing Rocks park on Saturday night, Oct. 9, with the production of "Henrietta Behave," a farce in three acts by Robert C. Schenck.

SECOND IN THE series of three plays will be "One For The Money," a comedy in three acts by Mrs. Muriel E. Lichtenwalner, on Oct. 28, followed by "Dear Ruth," stage and screen success, written by Norman Krasna, to be produced in November.

The production and business staff for the company will include Mrs. Manthorne as director, Mrs. Lichtenwalner, publisher.

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Forrest Asks Court to Refuse Plea to Reargue Wentzel Ruling

District Attorney E. Arnold Forrest filed with the State Supreme court yesterday a nine-page rebuttal of the "additional reasons" cited by Gerald C. Wentzel's defense for permitting the reargument of the case.

The reargument plea and Forrest's reply will be taken under consideration by the high court, which rejected the plea July 8, by a 4-3 vote. Wentzel's appeal for vindication of a new trial, he date has been set for the court's answer.

After centering his attack on the affidavits of John Wojack, who had removed Mrs. Miriam F. Green's body from her apartment Dec. 9, 1946, and Dr. W. L. Franck, who pronounced her dead, Forrest declared:

"There is no reason in law or fact why this case should be reargued."

(Turn to Page 8 for partial text of District Attorney Forrest's arguments.)

In justice to warrant a reargument of the case, the district attorney's blunt statement was:

"It is submitted that this affidavit on its face shows the unreliability of the affiant (Wojack), that it is indicative of a lack of veracity and of the mentality of the affiant when he states therein: 'I was afraid that if I testified in behalf of Wentzel and told the truth that I might be charged with perjury.'"

WOJACK SAID Mrs. Green's body smelled like "dead meat." He also said he was told by the ambulance driver that, in saying he didn't smell anything, he was helping and that the assistant district attorney accused him of being paid to say the body smelled.

The district attorney's language was far more reserved in its criticism of the affidavit filed by Dr. Franck, who had been a star witness for the Commonwealth during the April, 1947, trial.

But, Forrest said, he believed Dr. Franck had "been cajoled and importuned" into making his statement, and that the physician's (Continued on Page Nine)

LOCAL POLICE privately expressed the opinion that the father and attorney probably would make good in their efforts, but police continued on the lookout for the suspect, and continued to take statements from additional witnesses to the shooting.

Funeral services for the 21-year-old youth were held from a funeral home at 258 Beech street. Further services were held in Second Baptist church, (Continued on Page Nine)

HERMAN TALMADGE claims victory in Georgia election. ATLANTA, Sept. 8 (AP) — Herman Talmadge, champion of "white supremacy," tonight claimed victory in Georgia's gubernatorial race.

In a broadcast shortly before midnight he said: "There is no way under the sun (Mr. E.) Thompson can win. The victory is ours."

However, Governor Thompson insisted the victory was his. A little earlier he announced: "We are not giving up the fight by any means."

Talmadge's lead mounted hourly as returns poured in from Georgia's Democratic primary.

At 11:30 p. m. Talmadge had an indicated 296 unit votes to 85 county unit votes for Thompson. Talmadge's popular vote was 174,272 and Thompson's 154,943.

These returns came from 147 of Georgia's 159 counties and from 1044 of 4736 precincts.

In Georgia, the county unit system, roughly akin to the electoral college, determines the Democratic nominee for governor (and victory in the primary means election in one-party Georgia).

HILLDALE STRIKES BACK! Residents of Hilldale, long plagued by the stench of burning garbage at the borough dump, have been made the target of a reader's opinion that they deserve nothing better. The accusations appeared in a letter in The Mercury's Readers Say column Tuesday.

Within a few hours after the letter appeared, residents of the government-owned housing project struck back! Letters poured into The Mercury office answering the allegations. These replies appear today in the Readers Say column on Page Four and Page Five.

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TEMPERATURE EXTREMES

Local temperatures yesterday and early this morning were:

4 a. m. 67 4 p. m. 78

5 a. m. 67 5 p. m. 77

6 a. m. 67 6 p. m. 77

7 a. m. 67 7 p. m. 77

8 a. m. 67 8 p. m. 75

9 a. m. 67 9 p. m. 73

10 a. m. 71 10 p. m. 74

11 a. m. 73 11 p. m. 73

12 m. 73 12 p. m. 73

1 p. m. 78 1 p. m. 71

2 p. m. 80 2 a. m. 71

3 p. m. 78 3 a. m. 70

ON THE MAIN DRAG

JOSEPH BOWEN —pleading for a little respect and courtesy.

EARL GERHARD —shoving a mower gruntingly through a thick growth of grass.

HERBERT CANNELL —figuring a way to get a neighbor's dander aroused.

WALTER F. RICHARDS —dangling an umbrella from his crooked right arm.

D. DONALD KUNKLE —waving to a workman through a window.

RALPH "SKIP" DE MATTEO —trying to solve a mystery.

MRS. EMILY STOLF —aghost at the crash of motor vehicles.

MRS. ROBERT HOSSEY —preparing for a rain storm.

JAMES SANDS —carrying a sheaf of papers.

V. IRENE HINTON —requesting some advertising copy.

44 Persons Missing As Circus Vessel Sinks Off Panama

MIAMI, Fla., Sept. 8 (AP)—Forty-four persons, most of them circus performers, are missing in the Caribbean sea after their small ship, loaded with lions, tigers and other wild animals—overturned and sank in the early morning darkness, Sept. 1.

A message today from the Norwegian motor vessel, Caribe, reported it had picked up 12 of 56 persons believed aboard the foreign ship Euzkera in a lifeboat 770 miles south of Miami. The 12 included three crewmen and nine passengers.

The 140-foot Euzkera of Honduran registry sank suddenly 130 miles off the Colombian coast, 200 miles from Panama and 700 miles from Miami. It was carrying the Razzetti circus from Mariel, Cuba, to Cartagena, Colombia. It left Cuba Aug. 28 and was due at Cartagena six days ago.

IN A MESSAGE to the Navy today, the Caribe stated:

"Part of remainder of passengers and crew unknown but fear the worst."

"The ship overturned and sank so rapidly there was no chance to launch the three lifeboats and one raft aboard."

"Everyone was floating around on pieces of lumber and other wreckage."

"Owing to rough seas and darkness, survivors drifted apart."

"Lifeboats were rescued after they had floated up following ship's sinking."

The naval commander of the Caribbean sea frontier at Panama reported a search for other survivors was underway.

The Caribe is proceeding to Curacao, Netherlands West Indies, off the coast of Venezuela.

REPORTS FROM the Caribe stated 56 were aboard the ill-fated vessel, although earlier accounts had listed the number anywhere from 45 to 67. The passengers were believed to be either circus performers, hardscrabble or their relatives. Twenty-one were said to be Colombians.

The Euzkera was described at Balboa as being a former yacht once used by U. S. President McKinley.

TREASURY BALANCE. WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—The position of the Treasury Sept. 3: Receipts, \$99,528,782.18; expenditures, \$74,985,908.68; balance, \$4,538,264,627.40; total debt, \$252,833,064,880.00; decrease under previous day, \$181,578,330.28.

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Roosevelt Granddaughter Weds



Edith Kermit Roosevelt, 20, and Alexander G. Barmine, 49, were married yesterday in Northport, New York. Miss Roosevelt is a granddaughter of the late President Theodore Roosevelt. Barmine is a former Soviet army general. He left Russian service in 1937.

place is Camp Ivy and the time is 7.30 a. m.

Barbara R. Cressman, organist and choir director of Jerusalem Lutheran church, will attend the music teachers college of the University of Western Ontario, London, Canada.

Miss Dolores Better, Coatesville, will be substitute organist and choir director.

Mining in Ontario got its real start with the discovery of rich silver veins at Cobalt in 1904.

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ments is held by the Department of Commerce's office of international trade. Earlier, Ferguson said the purpose of the hearing "is to discover weaknesses in the enforcement of our export controls and by co-operation with the Department of Commerce or, if necessary, by legislation, work out constructive measures to improve and strengthen the program."

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Police Seek Motorist In Gravel Pit Slaying

JEFFERSON, N. J., Sept. 8 (AP)—Investigators theorized today that the slayer of 16-year-old Alberta Sharp may have been a motorist or moocher but they had no trace of either.

Greater credence was given the belief she was shot by a motorist who picked her up Sunday night as she walked toward home.

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Senate Probers Uncover Widespread Fraud In Shipments of Goods for Overseas

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—A Senate investigating committee uncovered today a story of widespread fraud in the shipment of goods overseas.

Harry H. Levey, New York exporter, testified he paid \$29,255 for 15 export licenses which a committee investigator identified as "forgeries."

Levey said he bought the licenses from John A. Quinn, president and manager of the Keystone Soap and Chemical company of Jersey City, N.J. He said other dealers were engaged in the same practice.

"Everybody was doing it," he said. "It was going on wholesale and how!"

Levey appeared at a joint hearing of the Senate small business committee and the Senate subcommittee investigating administrative expenditures. He said his business is the Haro Products, incorporated.

SENATOR FERGUSON (R-Mich), committee chairman, called Quinn to the stand after Levey's testimony—but the youthful witness refused to answer questions on the grounds he might incriminate himself.

Quinn was excused from testifying until Friday to permit him to talk to his lawyer.

Ferguson told him: "We're not interested in you as much as we are in trying to find out how this could happen. Primarily we want to learn how goods could be shipped on forged licenses and, this not be discovered."

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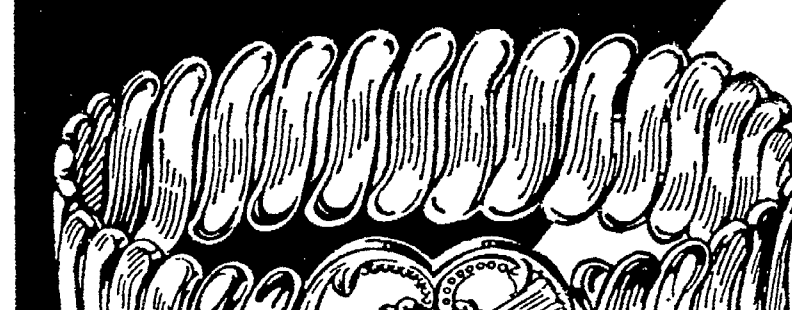
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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1948

What is there given by the gods
more desirable than a happy hour.
—Catalus.

Your Last Reminder

MANY A Pottstown mother looks upon this morning with apprehension because today her child is going to school for the first time.

With the start of first grade pupils, the streets will be crammed with children who haven't been far away from their home yards since birth. That means there are more chances for traffic tragedies.

To allay those mothers' fears as their tiny tots are embarking out into the world, motorists should promise special precaution.

Accidents are the chief cause of death among children. Accidents claim six times as many lives in the 5-14 age group as pneumonia. In 1947, 2600 children of elementary school age and 7650 young persons of high school and college age were killed in traffic accidents.

Do you want your child killed?
If not:

1. Parents and teachers must unite to teach children to cross streets and ride bicycles safely, and they must see that adequate protection is present at dangerous crossings.

2. Motorists must realize the necessity for slow and alert driving in school and residential areas, especially in the morning and late afternoon. Police should step up enforcement in danger areas.

Remember, it can happen to you!

Three Times and Out?

THE department of commerce, in its August Survey of Current Business, says, "The area of rising prices has broadened (in recent weeks) and the pace of the advance has quickened." But farm prices, the department notes, have been sagging under the expectation of record crops.

This is new proof of the inflationary effects of wage boosts upon prices. Until the past six months much of the inflation was represented by rising prices for agricultural crops. Yet most prices have gone to new highs since the surprising cereal price break of last February.

The new element has been the third round of wage increases. Still, there is reason to be optimistic that inflation can be checked. The earlier wage boosts were based in part upon higher food costs. If record crops can first bring the price of cereals down and then the price of meat down, the basic excuse for wage boosts can come to an end.

Though farm products rose the most, farmers have kept on producing and now have started the process of getting their own prices off skids. If food prices come down, then the need for further wage increases is reduced. Industrial productivity can rise to bring other prices down. That productivity ought to rise, now that business has spent about \$70 billion for new factories, machinery and equipment since the middle of 1945.

From here on the consumer should start coming into his own. Better crops here and in Europe this year will cut down his food bill. Business plant expansion should give the consumer far more industrial products as the new factories contribute to the expected rise in worker productivity.

Some Facts Overlooked

PRESIDENT TRUMAN took an odd time to frighten labor on Labor Day. It was on that day that organized labor celebrated its greatest membership in its history. Union revenues and financial reserves stand at an all-time peak.

Not one union has been disrupted by the Taft-Hartley law. Under that law, unions have grown in riches, membership and power.

Yet Mr. Truman didn't mention that fact. In appraising the first year's operation of the T-H Act, Mr. Truman overlooked the fact that he himself invoked it seven times to halt strikes involving "national safety or health," in such industries as coal, shipping and communication.

Since he had vetoed the law, it may be presumed that he was not eager thus to prove its efficacy. But necessity outweighed political considerations, and crippling work stoppages were prevented. Nevertheless, Mr. Truman is running on a platform advocating repeal of the T-H law.

In the face of its proved usefulness, the only case that can be made for repeal is that in other situations, such as the Chicago printers' strike, the law has precipitated trouble.

Grampaw Oakley

Editor, The Mercury,
Dear Sir 'n' Brother:

Wal, I see by the papers where Swedish farmers successfully feed their horses on a special mixture of paper pulp, molasses, soybeans and minerals. I've had meals that tasted exactly like that.

The St. Louis Browns have signed an 18-year-old Canadian named Jim St. Louis. How can he miss?

And say: The \$125 haircut is rearing its ugly head. Whether you get clipped or trimmed, you're sure to be short.

Hopin' you air the same,
GRAMPAW NED OAKLEY

READERS SAY:

Veterans at Hilldale Sacrificed...Now Deserve More

Only Victims of Circumstance

To the Editor: In answer to H. C. F. ("Who Fuss About Dump Fire?") Readers Say, Sept. 7, I tell me, H. C. F., just what are you doing to help humanity, and what did you do during the war? Nothing now except sit in comfort and write letters, and probably nothing during the war except make money while the same people who are now living in Hilldale live in fox holes in "blood, sweat and mud" so that you could go on living in comfort and be free to write nasty letters about the people who helped you be free.

What are you doing, H. C. F., to help these people attain better homes? Nothing, of course!

Most of these people are victims of circumstance. True, they are not all desirable people, but then neither are all the people in Pottstown desirable. Every group of people has its good and bad members. And who are you to say that the people in Hilldale are should be willing to put up with such stench?

Do you personally know all the residents in Hilldale? I'll bet you don't know a single person here.

I could go on and on about people like you, H. C. F., but in behalf of the residents of Hilldale, let me tell you the stench from the dump is not half so bad as the stench from people like you.

Pottstown MRS. JEAN M. PERRY

Vet Detects a 'Phony'
To the Editor: I am taking sides with the Vet ("Public Aware of Scheming," Readers Say, Sept. 7). Vet is 100 per-

INTERPRETIVE
Financial Stability Vital In Ruhr's Coal Output
By J. M. ROBERTS, JR.
(AP Foreign Affairs Analyst)

ESSEN, Germany, Sept. 8 — Dis-
mantlement of steel fabricating plants
which make mining equipment is by no
means the only worry of the men who
are trying to build up Ruhr coal produc-

tion.
They feel better now than they did a
few months ago, with new production
levels being attained monthly, but are
watching anxiously for any new leveling
off such as has happened to them so
often before.

The coal mines of this area pro-
duced about 400,000 tons a day for
the German operators. When the war
ended, they were practically at a
standstill, and for a time after the
British arrived to take over, they did
not even produce enough to support
themselves but were using up the
"fat" they had stored above ground
when the distribution system broke
down during the Nazi retreat.

In December, 1946, production was
200,000 tons daily; now it is about 290,000
and it has been a long, hard pull.

IN THE FIRST 15 months of their
operation the British put production up
to 240,000, then there was a bread short-
age. Denazification was interfering with
the supply of skilled workmen and super-
visory employees.

A broad shortage occurred, and in
June, 1947, production was down to 225-
000 again. The United States threw in
some surplus U.S. Army rations to help
hold the line against union food demon-
strations and demands for a share of in-
come from exports to buy food.

The question of the industry's
future also was hanging in the bal-
ance, unsettling both administrators
and Germans. The real coal men—
many of whom apparently had been
driven to the Ruhr by nationaliza-
tion back in Britain—were not for
socialization as sought by the British
government.

After the U.S. accepted the British
invitation to participate in the coal op-
eration in return for dollar support, it
was finally agreed that, once German
economy and political life began to take
some solid form, the Germans would be
permitted to decide the system under
which they would operate. There was
revitalization in August last year when
the Americans began to send food to
meet a higher ration level, and through
incentive programs which offered food
parcels or larger rations for greater pro-
duction.

But always some new incentive was
needed after a while. The miner was the
best fed man in Europe, but he still
couldn't buy anything with his non-food
income.

PRODUCTION FELL again, early in
1948. Then came currency reform in
June, and a big spurt. Shops began to
open with some clothes, and especially
with food supplies which the farmers had
been keeping at home for barter purposes
when money was no good to them. The
miner no longer had to take the time
and energy to go scrounging through the
countryside.

But the new mark is beginning to
lose value, too. In the black market,
which still continues although greatly
curtailed from its previous almost
universal scope, the new money is
down, at least in some places, to
about one fourth of its face value.

Financial experts in the coal coun-
try are wondering if that production in-
centive, like previous ones, also will wear
off.

FLOWERS FOR THE LIVING
For MR. AND MRS. RAY LEHMAN BUCKWALTER North Coventry BECAUSE they were united in marriage recently in Coventry M. E. church

cent right. The council "big shots" and the Civil Service commission members themselves should be able to detect a phony ring in their announcement in The Mercury that there was a mistake made in grading the test papers.

Perhaps there was a mistake, but it certainly sounds phony to me. If I am not mistaken, some time ago I read an article in The Mercury which said that there are some policemen on the force who have never taken the examination which new applicants are required to take before becoming a policeman.

These were said to be the oldest men on the force. Why shouldn't they take the examination? It is because they couldn't compare with the newer policemen in intelligence as far as police work is concerned?

Just because they are old men on the force doesn't prove they know as much as the newer about police work than the new men.

Vets are to be given extra points, why aren't they given what's rightfully due them? You big shots better wake up and start using the honesty policy.

The Wentzel case is another example of our police work. Neither the police nor anyone else has definitely proven Wentzel guilty of murder in any degree as far as I can see. The Pottstown police better get out and find real proof of the real killer. Let's straighten out council, commission and police.

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Pottstown SOFTBALL FAN

The Voice of Broadway
(Dorothy Kilgallen is on vacation. Her guest columnist today is the well-known Broadway theatrical agent, Henry William Wiese.)
By HENRY WILLIAM WIESE

What a Life!
A THEATRICAL agent, they say, is a fellow whose duties consist solely of getting jobs in show business for his clients.

Don't you believe it?
I have been a theatrical agent over 25 years now and I have found that job-getting is just about the easiest of the 9999 services an agent must perform in behalf of the talented people who keep him in bread, shoes and business. He must serve, in addition, as a father confessor, travel bureau, purchasing agent, legal adviser, whipping boy, Lonely Hearts specialist, and baby-sitter.

On the day he returned from military service in the Pacific, John (Tony) the handsome baritone, now in "Inside U.S.A.," dropped into my office with a problem. He'd been planning on a big blowout to celebrate his return home—dinner, the opera, a smart supper club—and none of his girl acquaintances was available. Could I help?

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We must not blame grandparents too much, therefore, because they tend to be overly indulgent and lax in discipline. Larry Orgill, of Rotary club, a WPA grant has been secured for the playgrounds.

WE FEAR THE 'WORST'!



Hollywood

By ALAN LADD

HOLLYWOOD, Sept. 8 — When we were in Chicago shooting "One Woman" a few weeks ago, the cameras were trained on the entrance to a cheap rooming house.

Director Lewis Allen had already called for action, the microphones were open, and I was about to enter the building when a tenant, a buxom blonde, staggered through the door and right into camera range.

"So you're Alan Ladd, huh?" she asked, the scent of perfume combating the scent of bourbon as she spoke. "Well, son, you can go home. I am frankly not impressed."

Naturally, this broke the gang up. The whole thing had been recorded on celluloid — and any time Sue feels I'm getting too bossy around the house she says she's going to show me that film.

But our first stop was Minneapolis where I was guest at the annual Aquatennial. Now, I'm no performer — I don't sing or hoof, and I couldn't quite figure what I'd do to entertain the folks.

THE AQUATENNIAL is the best public relations gimmick any town could want — and the most dazzling show I've ever seen. Over 400,000 people lined the parade route opening day, although the city's population is only 500,000. Eight judges select the Queen of Minneapolis on the basis of beauty and personality and she reigns for a year, presiding at civic functions, representing the town on trips across the country, and generally spreading good will with the Minneapolis trademark in clear view.

Before continuing on to Chicago, Sue and I crammed into two days fishing at Gull Lake. We caught two wall-eyed pike and thought we would send them home to Los Angeles until I figured up the cost. Rent for the boat was \$10, guide was another \$10, and air express also \$10 — which made it \$15 a fish. So we tossed 'em back into the lake and rowed like lightning for shore!

IN CHICAGO, the "One Woman" crew used disguised cameras so as not to attract crowds while we were shooting in the streets. We hid the cameras in packing cases and in no-notice looking trucks, but we fooled no one. One scene was set in a "deserted" street, but cops estimate over 4000 people showed up to watch us work.

In fact, crowds were so great we had to set up decoy shots to attract the crowds while we made the actual scene a few blocks away. On one such occasion an assistant director and I dashed into a nearby taxi and told the driver to step on it. He did — eventually summoning enough courage to look at us in his rear view mirror and inquire: "Say, you guys runnin' from the cops?" He thought we'd just stuck up a store!

Midwesterners offer a fairly true cross section of Americans. Their likes and dislikes reflect preferences elsewhere. I was happy to see they still love movies. And mainly they like movies that move, fun films, and musicals.

Folks there will give an honest, unbiased opinion of pictures. And without listening to.

How's Your Mind?

THE ANSWER, QUICK!

1. What is a protractor?
2. In cookery, is it correct to use the word "receipt" for "recipe"?
3. What is the capital city of Alaska?

4. Is there more land or water on the earth's surface?
5. In what war was the Battle of Bunker Hill fought?

THINGS TO COME — The Army has developed a boon that may come into civilian life. It's a coffee bag, much like individual tea bags, which when dipped into a cup of hot water, just under boiling, and let standing for four minutes will produce a pretty fair cup of java. You have no grounds remaining, no pot to wash. ... Brighter also is a report that a California has developed a chicken that's all white meat, small of bone and does not have any pinfeathers. ... Try on your typewriter: "A quick movement of the enemy would jeopardize six sun-boards." You've used all the letters in the alphabet.

GIVE AWAY DEPT — Mrs. William Mackey, Pottstown RD 3, has a six-month-old dog for first caller. Phone 117-J-2 mornings. ... You air travelers may have noticed that rarely do you see the inside of a plane done in browns or yellows. Those colors are helpful when airsickness hits patrons. Greens and blues are two colors best suited to reduce airsickness. ... Pottstown waitress was burned up the other day when she cleaned up a table just left by an elderly couple. They left five pennies as a tip and a religious pamphlet!

JOBS UPON A TIME
About 25 years ago, Walter Kiernan, radio and television commentator, entered the newspaper field as a police reporter on a New Haven, Conn., paper. Next he did a daily human interest news column on another New Haven paper, then went to New York to join the International News Service. Five years ago Kiernan entered radio. Kiernan also does a daily syndicated humor column for International News Service.

Owen D. Young, a leading United States industrialist and public servant, began life as a farm boy in Van Hornesville, N. Y. He was an unusual pupil in school. At Boston university law school Young worked in the library and tutored a student to earn expenses, and after his graduation served as law clerk in a Boston firm. In 1913 Young became vice-president of an electrical company in charge of the law department. Chairman of a number of important government and other committees and boards, Owen D. Young is still young at heart.

MODERN MANNERS
If you are standing in front of a crowded elevator, step out to let those behind you pass.

IT HAPPENED TODAY
Sixteen years ago today, Sept. 9, 1932, 39 persons were killed and 72 hurt as a ferry blew up in the East river at New York City. California was admitted to the Union on this date in 1850. William the Conqueror, Duke of Normandy, later King William I of England, was born about 1027, and died on Sept. 9, 1087.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Greetings on birthday anniversaries to James Hilton, novelist; Alfred M. Landon, unsuccessful Republican presidential candidate in 1926; Marjorie S. Eeles, vice-chairman of the board of directors of the Federal Reserve bank, and Frank Frisch, former baseball star.

HOW'D YOU MAKE OUT?
1. An instrument for measuring angles.
2. Yes.
3. Juneau.
4. Water.
5. The American Revolutionary war.

I found my midwestern friends well unbiased opinion of pictures. And without listening to.

Pottstown Sketches By PHILLIPS

William C. Hartman

Physician Injured — Dr. Caesar F. Sarr of 233 King street, suffered a fractured nose and other injuries when his car ran into the rear of a truck operated by Luther Graham, of 512 Chestnut street. The accident took place on High street near Warren.

Laurel Lodge — Laurel Lodge erected by Thomas Rutter, iron master, in 1789, is now the center of a children's playground. Through the efforts of Larry Orgill, of Rotary club, a WPA grant has been secured for the playgrounds.

25 Years Ago
September 9, 1923
EQUALS TRACK RECORD — Elwood Wolf, of Philadelphia, equalled the mile track record previously established by him at Mill Park of 32.1 seconds. The motor races were witnessed by 12,000 persons.

BARN BURNS — Loss of \$25,000 was caused when the barn on the farm of Edwin K. Gottshall, near Royersford, was totally destroyed by fire. An explosion in a corn shredding machine caused the blaze.

JAP DISASTER — More than 250,000 are dead and a million are homeless as a result of earthquakes, fires and tidal waves which centered around Tokyo and Yokohama, Japan.

Readers Say:

Residents of Hilldale Reply to Critic

(Editor's Note: In reply to H. F. C., whose letter in Readers Say in Tuesday's Mercury belittled complaints of Hilldale residents on the stench from the borough dump, these letters were received by The Mercury. One appears in the Readers Say column on Page Four. Here are the others.)

Welcome Homeless—Then This!

To the Editor: Good morning—but may I ask what's good about it when people are in such a low state of mind as to put one small community on the pan and burn it to a crisp as they have Hilldale the past four months.

After all, if we have to take all this, why shouldn't we smell the city dump?

I can't say that the odor is any worse from the dump than from these letters. If we wouldn't accept Pottstown's misfortunes, we would be as bad as the people who feel called upon to condemn us.

Seventy-five percent of our people are making higher wages than the people who have time to throw stones and we aren't asking for charity when we take the families from tents and chicken coops. After all it isn't only the wealthy who go to heaven.

We aren't a colony of lepers or monkeys in cages. We are, as a group, clean and decent people paying taxes. I'll grant you that we have some people who don't conduct themselves correctly, but then Pottstown has that group, too. I dare say if some of you stone throwers would visit us you'd find we live as decently as you and better than some so you're thinking that maybe the odor isn't coming from the dump.

Pottstown, MAZIE

Qualified to Judge?

To the Editor: Well, here we go again. So we have another Marie in our midst. Gee, I wonder when we are going to be considered human?

In the Bible, it is said all men are equal. Well, just who are these

people who take it upon themselves to judge us? Are they God Almighty? No. Thank the good Lord for that. At least we can say He is with us even though we are not good enough for some people. I grant you this much, most of us are from out of town, but then so is the Firestone plant. If it should close down and go back where it came from, believe me, my so-called friend, you would feel it.

You are probably one of those grabbers who loves our money but hates us. Well, friend, take it from one who knows, I can smell garbage and I can smell you and you smell out loud.

You're really to be pitied. Pottstown, A. R. P.

Proud of Their Past

To the Editor: I am glad to know how the H. F. C.'s of Pottstown feel about Hilldale residents.

Who are the residents of Hilldale?

Who went overseas and fought, died and won the war?

Whose husbands are suffering in Valley Forge and other Army or Navy hospitals?

Why, we are the residents of Hilldale, always ready to be pushed around by H. F. C's.

I bet if there was a vacancy here and a "For Rent" sign went up, he would be the first to ask about it, if he could rent it.

So clean up your dump and clean out your heart. Pottstown, HILLDALE RESIDENT

True Feelings Not Printable

To the Editor: Let the borough dump burn, but I say—force H. F. C. ("Why Fuss About Dump Fire?") Readers Say, Sept. 7) to live there the rest of his natural life which couldn't be too natural anyway.

Anyone who could stoop so low as to condemn his fellow man must be a non-believer in any religion. What I could say would fill The Mercury but it could not print, how Hilldale feels toward such a person.

When you walk up and down our streets you do not see any policemen walking their beats to keep us in order. Compare our crime rate with that of Pottstown. H. F. C. has fouly struck an undeserved blow at Hilldale. I hope he suffers for it. Pottstown, R. L. M.

Not Hilldalers by Choice

To the Editor: In answer to H. F. C. ("Why Fuss About Dump Fire?") Readers Say, Sept. 7, only a no-good person like you would say the things you did about us Hilldale residents. Listen chum; if we knew who you were you would be one sad sack.

What is the matter, are you yellow, so you have to hide behind initials? Put your name and address in and I'll gladly pay the fine for assault and battery, and if you are a lady—but excuse me, you couldn't be a lady—if you are a female my wife will gladly accommodate you with a black eye.

Just remember, chum, the only reason people are living here is that they are forced to. For example, I tried to buy a house. It was GI-approved, but the banks would not approve the loan because I am a veteran with a disability and can't take just every job that comes along.

So I had to move to Hilldale. A vet like me can't afford \$65 to \$100 a month rent. So just keep this in mind—I consider myself just as good as you or that banker. Pottstown, FRANK J. FOSCO

Pities H. F. C.'s Neighbors

To the Editor: You know, for two years I have thought there just couldn't be a worse place to live in than Hilldale, but Tuesday morning after reading the Readers Say column I discovered that there surely is. Mr. and Mrs. H. F. C. it would be living next door to you!!

Even the burning garbage dump in our back yard is preferable to the stink that must blow on the brows of the poor Pottstown people who live so close to you.

Just how much of your life have you put into helping make this a better place to live in? I'll bet not even a small part of it, as have most Hilldale men, in case you don't know, H. F. C.

Let me tell you—except in extreme cases one must be a veteran to even get in Hilldale.

So, my fine-feathered friend, before you do so much rattling about Hilldale, just come out and talk to a few and see that because we are not all fortunate enough to live in homes of our own, we are just as happy and proud a group of people as you'd find anywhere.

Most of us here try to believe in the old saying, "Home is what you make it." So just to make a long story short, Old Wind, just keep blowing your stinking way to Hilldale if living in Pottstown means living by such narrow-minded people as H. F. C.

Pottstown, ANGRY HILLDALE RESIDENT

Odor Is Bad as Dump's

To the Editor: This is in answer to that wise guy, H. F. C. ("Why Fuss About Dump Fire?") Readers Say, Sept. 7.

For H. F. C.'s information and anyone else who agrees with him, we're not living here because we want to, it's because we have no other choice. It's wise guys like H. F. C. who make Hilldale sound so bad to the public. Don't forget H. F. C., the people living here at Hilldale are every bit as good as you, and probably could run rings around you.

Furthermore your attitude towards this situation smells worse than the dump. By the way, how do we know that the smell isn't coming from your backyard?

Remember that old saying, clean out the skeletons in your own closet before you stick your nose in your neighbor's. Pottstown, J. Y. S.

Criticism Was Unfair

To the Editor: In answer to H. F. C. ("Why Fuss About Dump Fire?") Readers Say, Sept. 7. Personally there are very few people in Hilldale whom I know, but I think it is unfair for anyone to criticize people for living there. There are some decent and respectable people living in worse places than that.

Why? Because they don't believe in living beyond their income, letting the butcher, baker, milkman, and others suffer in the end.

Others are forced to live there because they have children and because of that fact, some narrow-minded people won't rent to them. But, there are many childless people with plenty who would exchange some of that plenty to have a child or two and be glad to live in Hilldale.

Every small town, city, or community has its good and bad, so why judge them all alike? Hilldale isn't the only place that gets the borough dump smell. Kenilworth gets it as well, and plenty of it.

Kenilworth, FARMER

Whooping Cough Case Reported in Stowe

Members of the West Pottsgrove township health board met last night at the home of Leonard Levenson, 252 Berks street, Stowe.

On the agenda was the report of Stowe health officer Daniel Wien. One case of whooping cough was the only instance of contagious disease reported during August, Wien said.

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Russell Long (above), 29-year-old son of the late Huey Long, won the Democratic nomination for United States senator by 10,475 votes over Appeal Judge Robert Kannon. Official returns from Louisiana's Aug. 31 primary were announced yesterday.

EX-BURGESS FINED

ALQUIPPA, Sept. 8 (AP)—Squire Walter S. Cameron today fined George L. Kiefer \$10 after the former burgess pleaded guilty to failure to abide by the city's new wage tax law.



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Minute Men Choose Keiser as Chairman

Carl J. Keiser, Pottstown electrical appliance dealer, yesterday was elected chairman of the Minute Men of the Pottstown Chamber of Commerce. He succeeds A. D. Kauffman, manager of the McCrory's store.

The election was held at a noon meeting in the Howard Johnson restaurant.

Dr. Harry K. Marcy Jr., Pottstown physician, was elected vice chairman, succeeding Keiser who held the post during the past year. John P. Stamm, treasurer, and Ralph H. Spare, secretary, were re-elected.

After the elections, the group voted to present a silver trophy to the winner of the model airplane meet to be sponsored by the Optimist club at the Daniel Boone home-stand, Sept. 19.

Borough Briefs

Two motorists were stopped by Patrolman Michael Shanta Tuesday after they drove through red lights at High and Charlotte streets.

They were Joan O. Parry, of Mt. Carmel, flagged down at 10:50 a. m., and Estella J. Rupert, of Pottstown ED 2, whom Shanta also accused of blowing the horn at a pedestrian who was crossing with the green light at 2:20 p. m.

Both women will receive summonses from Justice of the Peace Raymond C. Kelley, of the Second ward.

19 DIE IN CRASH
MADRID, Sept. 8 (AP)—Spanish news agencies said tonight 19 persons were killed and five injured when a bus carrying 31 passengers overturned and caught fire.

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Norris Liquid Starch... quart bottle 17c
Conti Luna Spaghetti or Conti Luna Elbow Macaroni... 1-lb. pkg. 16c
Birds Eye Cut Corn... package 22c
Frosted Red Perch Fillets... 10 35c
NEW YAMS... 3 lbs. 25c
CALIF. GRAPES... lb. 19c
CALIF. CELERY... large stalk 25c
Jumbo CALIF. CANTALOUPE... each 23c
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NORRIS CIDER VINEGAR Ref. Bottle 1 qt. 17c 1 gal. jug 49c

MARSH

Ora A. Slider, corr. Richard Peterman, delivery. Phone Pottstown 755-J-4.

Mrs. James Fisher and son, Kenneth, of Philadelphia, spent a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snyder, and family.

Gordon Frederick, of Pottstown, spent Labor Day with his aunt, Mrs. M. A. Johnson and family.

Arthur Morris returned to his home at Birdell after spending the Summer with Earl Slider and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Zinn and family, of Guthrieville, called on the latter's brother, Edgar Dry and wife.

K. Estella James attended a meeting of the WSCS of Elverson ME chapter recently.

Miss Mary Turner resumed her teaching of the primary grades at Central school, West Nantmeal township, recently.

C. E. Slider was a visitor in Lancaster.

Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson, of Narvon, visited Mrs. Marianna Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Snyder and family and Mr. and Mrs. Willard K. and children, attended the Knappacker reunion held at Kirkwood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Slider and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George Seal and mother, and Mrs. Irma Butler called at the home of Mrs. Carrie Eyich, of Elverson recently, to see Mrs. Eyich's night blooming cactus that had five huge blooms open.

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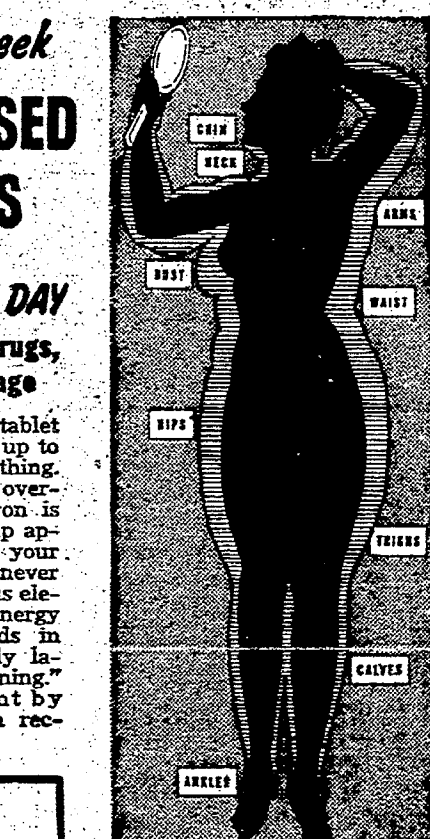
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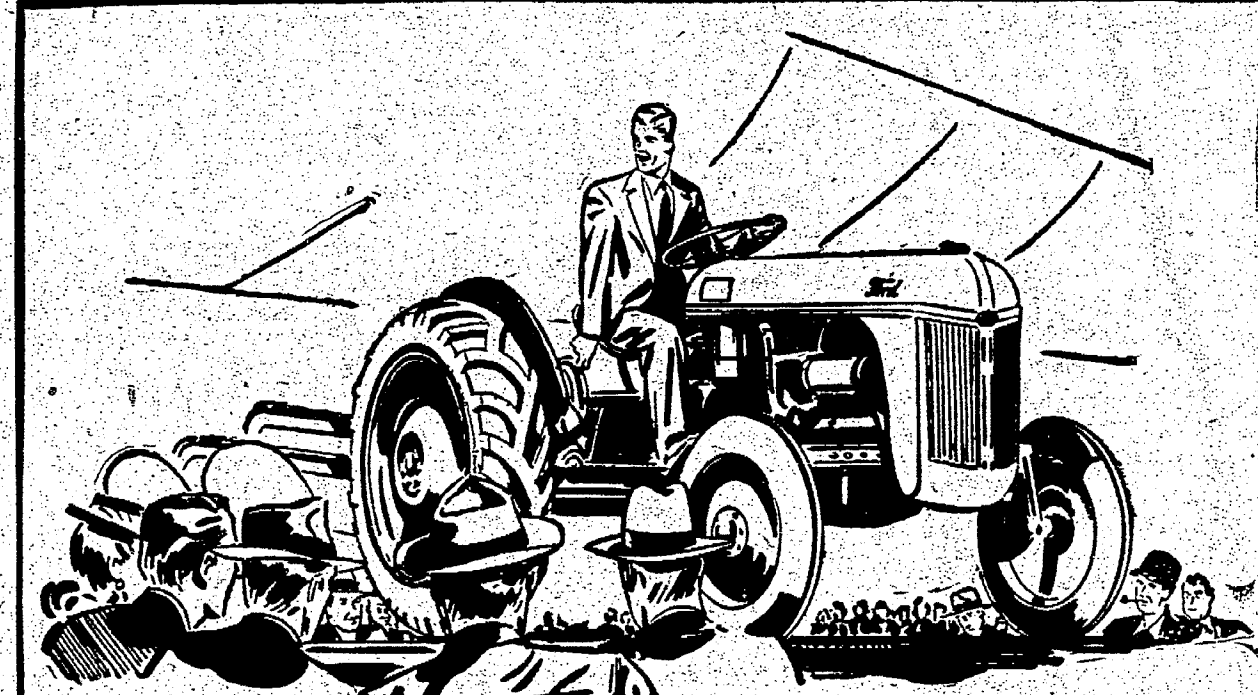
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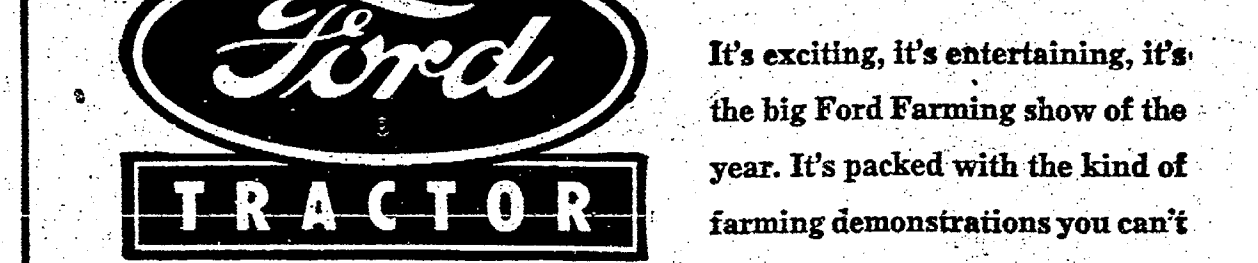


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German Editor Who Fought Hitler Regime To Address Rotary

Gerhart H. Seger, editor of the "Neue Volkszeitung," the oldest anti-Nazi German-language weekly newspaper, will speak at a meeting of the Rotary club in the Elks' home at 6:30 o'clock tonight.

During his life, Seger has been a newspaperman in various German cities, a foreign correspondent in Paris, Geneva, Warsaw, Prague, and Vienna, and served as a member of the German Reichstag from 1930 to 1933 on the committee on foreign affairs.

He was imprisoned by the Nazis in 1933, spending three months in jail, and six months in the first concentration camp at Oranienburg, near Berlin, before escaping to Czechoslovakia and England.

Seger came to the United States in 1934 as a visitor, returning permanently in 1935 under the German immigration quota. After becoming a citizen in 1942, he served with the office of strategic services and as an instructor for the Army orientation and Navy V-12 courses.

In November, 1945, Seger was called to Nuremberg, Germany, by the U. S. chief prosecutor, Supreme Court Justice Robert Jackson, as a witness for the prosecution.

His testimony was accepted by the military tribunal, and in addition, he worked for some time with the American prosecution on individual briefs against several Nazi defendants.

While in Germany, he traveled within the American zone of occupation and studied military government as well as the attitudes of the German civilian population.

FLORIDA BARS WALLACE
TALLAHASSEE, Fla., Sept. 8 (AP)—A special Florida legislative committee voted today to give J. Strom Thurmond a place on the state's general election ballot but declined to recognize Henry A. Wallace.

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Vacationing With Mercury Readers

By The VACATION EDITOR of The Mercury
The vacation season is officially over, but people are still vacationing by herds.

This tends to prove that even the foggiest human being has a definite idea of when he wants to take a holiday—provided he can get off then.

For some its sking in the middle of winter; for others it's hunting in the fall; or Florida in the Spring or it may be Granulated beach on the Jersey shore in Summer.

This means that people are different, which you knew all along.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, 300 High street, and their daughter, Grace, and Carol Green, no address given, are "having a good time in Mahanoy City."

Spending some time in the Stevens hotel, Chicago, shown on their post card, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clyde Lockart, Cook road, Pughtown, given, are "having a good time in Mahanoy City."

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On their card was the main street of Keene, N.H.

Julia B. Whitman and E. Kathryn Binder, of 218 Chestnut street, are spending a more athletic vacation

than average. "Really a wonderful place," they wrote from the Physical Culture hotel, Dansville, N. Y. "After a 7 a. m. hike, we exercise all morning and dance on the roof every evening."

The card showed the hotel.

"The weather is cool and such a relief from the heat of Pottstown," penned Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wolfgang, 33 East Fourth street, from Hamilton, Ontario, Canada.

They have been visiting friends and taking in the rock gardens there. James street in Hamilton was on the front of the card.

From Ocean City, where they are spending a week, Mr. and Mrs. John Abrams, Grosstown road, Stowe, their daughters, Martha Ann and Helen, and nephew, Frank Bregovi, sent a card showing the boardwalk crowds.

"Sure are having a swell time," they wrote.

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of a card showing a fishing launch. Also in Wildwood and "painting it red" were "The Edkies and the Larryettes," who gave no first names or addresses. "Always on the go. Never a dull moment. Seems like the time will soon end, Boo Hoo," they concluded. The card features breaking waves.

Six local persons paid a Labor Day weekend visit to former residents of the area, now living in Thoga RD. Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Rhoads Jr., and Janice Lenhart, all of Gilbertville, and Robert Gilbert, Katie Kemp and Marvin Miller, all of Bechtelsville, were the guests. Hosts were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Stout and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Moser, formerly of Gilbertville.

On the reverse of a card depicting a large hotel in the rugged hills of Greenwood Springs Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Sowers, 36 West Fourth street, and Doris, jotted, "The scenery is grand out here." They are staying there a few days.

The weather is also fine and the vacation "swell" at Atlantic City, N. J., where Janet Knod, 9 East Fifth street, and Peggy Schaeffer, Pine Forge, are recreating.

Mr. and Mrs. Barry Nyman and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Nyman and Joan Elliott, none of whom gave addresses, described Lake Wallenpaupack as "a beautiful vacation land."

On the back of a photo of themselves with a mess of fish and three small boats, the brothers Steiner, Sterling, of Pottstown Landing, and Earl, of Pottstown RD 1, said "the fishing is fine in Ontario, Canada." "Caught a dandy 33 inches long," they concluded, not mentioning who had the luck.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stein and sons, listing no address, sent a card from Ocean City, N.J.

"Hate to leave here," wrote Louise B. Moser, 144 South Franklin street, Boyertown, from Wildwood, N.J. "Am enjoying the warm Atlantic ocean water and soft cool breezes," she went on.

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Turn Back the Clock—Flagpole Sitters in Again

LONG BEACH, Calif., Sept. 8 (AP)—Flagpole sitting—that mad fad of the thirties—made news today in California.

Ozzie Hamilton Osborne of Long Beach today claimed a new flagpole sitting record of 52 days, 13 hours and 58 minutes. He came down from his perch in a Long Beach amusement area with badly swollen legs. Shipwreck Kelly is credited with the former record of 49 days, set at Atlantic City in the thirties.

In San Francisco, Milton Van Noland, 22, has been perched atop a pole for 41 days, out of reach of everyone but his draft board.

He vowed he would stay up there a while yet, although he must register either today or tomorrow for the draft.

Freemen volunteered to take the registration papers to him along with a ticket to the fireman's ball.

Judge Judges Himself—Verdict, Guilty; \$5 Fine

TYLER, Minn., Sept. 8 (AP)—Peter Boyesen pleaded guilty to operating his automobile under an expired driver's license.

He was fined \$5 and ordered to make immediate application for a new license. In addition he was ordered not to drive his car until he had complied with the order.

The justice who issued the orders? Peter Boyesen—the defendant. He is a justice of the peace and heard his own case.

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Striking Longshoremen Say They'll Move Army Cargo If Conditions Are Met

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 8 (AP)—Harry Bridges said today his striking CIO longshoremen will load military cargo consigned to the Pacific and Far East, but the offer was hedged with certain optional conditions.

Bridges made the statement after he left a meeting at which he addressed members of the local longshoremen's union.

He said the four seafaring unions, allied with the longshoremen in the strike, had agreed to sail the ships.

The offer was to be made to Army officers, Bridges said, at a meeting scheduled late today.

A choice of conditions were offered the Army by Bridges:

1. The longshoremen would load for wages asked employers during the negotiations and the seafaring unions would sail on present East coast wage scales.
2. The alternative would be longshoremen and the seafarers working for present pay with a retroactive adjustment at the end of the strike.

To the question of whether the employers, who have demanded the signing of non-Communist affidavits by union leaders, would deal with

the unions enough to load the ships, and employer spokesman said: "No comment."

APPROXIMATELY 250,000 tons of military cargo are shipped per month, the Army said. It would take about 75 of the struck ships to handle the job, the Army added.

The strike, which started a week ago, affects 28,000 men along Pacific coast waterfronts, including 16,000 longshoremen. The dispute is mainly over wages and whether or not the union should control hiring hall dispatchers.

The cost of the strike to western shippers is estimated at \$4,000,000 per day.

(In Washington, D. C., the Association of American Railroads said today they were halting freight shipments to Atlantic and Gulf ports destined for movement by water to West coast ports.)

(The association said the action was taken because the maritime strike is affecting operations of intercoastal steamships.)

An estimated 180 ships are tied up in Pacific coast ports, with no signs of a possible break in the strike except the San Francisco, Army-Bridges meeting.

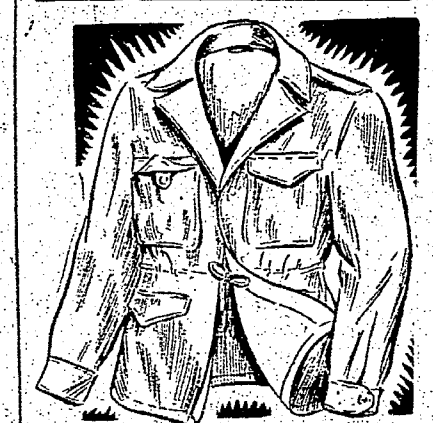
DUCHESS DIES

BILBAO, Spain, Sept. 8 (AP)—Maria Del Rosario Gutierrez Castellan, the Duchess of Hilar, died today. She was the mother-in-law of the Duke of Alba, Spain's premier nobleman.

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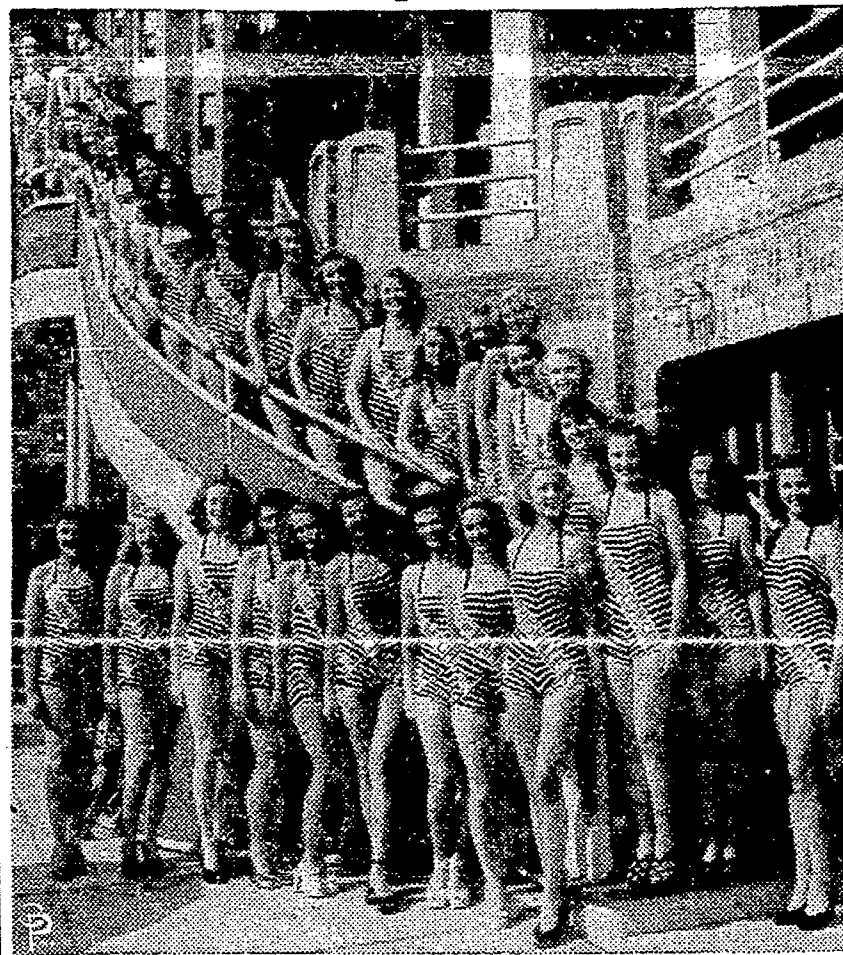


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Stars in Stripes at Pageant



As a prelude to the annual "Miss America" contest in Atlantic City, N. J., beauties from all parts of North America line-up, showing the identical one-piece suits ordered worn for this year's contest. Idea of the similar suits, presumably, is to prevent judges to make their final decision influenced by frills or novel designs.

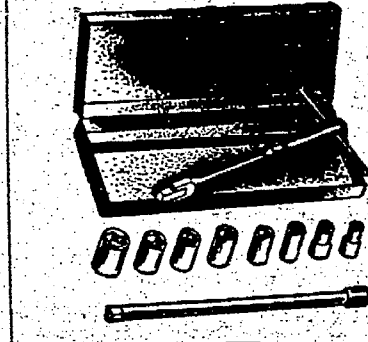
SEVEN MINERS KILLED

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa, Sept. 8 (AP)—Seven miners were known to have been killed today when an earth tremor caused a rock fall at the city deep gold mine here.

The Virgin Islands, containing about 50 tropical islands and islets, were discovered by Columbus in 1493.

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Old Pennsylvania Canal Restoration Bid Received

HARRISBURG, Sept. 8 (AP)—The commonwealth received a \$180,000 bid today for the initial work of restoring the old Pennsylvania canal in Bucks county as a recreation center.

The only bid was submitted by the Conduit and Foundation company, Philadelphia, to the department of property and supplies, the state's building agency.

The project calls for cleaning out the historic canal between New Hope and Point Pleasant, a stretch of eight miles. The plans also provide for an aqueduct at Point Pleasant and the repairs of locks.

MEETINGS BANNED

BERLIN, Sept. 8 (AP)—The British military government today banned all German political meetings in the British sector of Berlin in a half mile-wide belt along the border of the Soviet sector.

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Youth, 20, Confesses To 'Japanese Noose' Slaying of N. Y. Man

FORT DIX, N.J., Sept. 8 (AP)—Recruit Howard Smith, 20, signed a statement today that he tied up a New York state commerce department employee who strangled in a "Japanese Noose." Major Cornelius Morris, post public information officer, said today.

The young soldier, who was in recruit training, said in the statement, made to three Albany detectives, that he had not intended to kill the man, Theodore F. Allen, Morris said.

The trussed, nude body was found Sunday in an Albany hotel room. The 51-year-old former Vineland man apparently had died Friday night.

Morris said the detectives left within an hour to return to Albany, taking Smith and the statement with them. Morris said he did not know whether a motive was set forth in the statement.

Returning Smith were Detective Lt. John P. Tuffey, Detective Sgt. Anthony Dean and Detective Charles P. Mahar.

AUTHORITIES at Fort Dix were informed "just a little while" before the detectives arrived, Morris said, that Smith was wanted in connection with the slaying.

"They presented evidence that led us to believe that Smith knew something about the matter," Morris said, and the soldier was picked up by military authorities.

He was turned over to the Albany police when they arrived, and signed a statement shortly afterwards, Morris said.

Allen died in a "Japanese noose," which was described by Albany police as slip bonds around the neck fastening the wrists and ankles. Any effort of the prisoner to move tightened the slip-knot around the neck.

When the body was discovered,

police had thought robbery was the motive for the crime.

THE YOUNG SOLDIER gave his home as Johnstown, N.Y., when he enlisted, Morris said, but in his statement to police said his home was in Gloversville, N.Y.

Smith enlisted May 4 in Albany for six years and was sent to Fort Dix within a few days for basic training, Morris said. He was training with the 60th Infantry regiment of the Ninth division.

Smith listed his next of kin in enlistment papers as his mother, Mrs. Ethel I. Smith, Fulton county Sheriff P. Eugene Smith of Gloversville identified Smith's father as Howard Smith, employed by the General Electric company at Schenectady, N.Y., and living in Johnstown.

The sheriff said the parents have been separated for some time.

The young soldier was registered sometime last weekend at the same hotel where Allen's body was found, under the name "Arthur Clark," the sheriff said.

Authorities did not disclose what information led them to Smith at Fort Dix.

Robbed Finn's President, Man Gets 14-Month Term

HELSINKI, Finland, Sept. 8 (AP)—Kaarlo Heino was sentenced today to 14 months imprisonment for stealing President Juho K. Paasikivi's striped suit and overcoat.

Heino told the court he had been drinking and that he climbed a fence around the Presidential palace, mounted to the roof and entered a window. He sold the suit and coat.

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Shotgun Slaying Remains Mystery in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8 (AP)—A coroner's jury today ruled that Anthony Minerva, Atco, N. J., cheese manufacturer, died of a shotgun wound July 12 "at the hands of a person or persons unknown."

Chief deputy coroner Matthew Roth said that unless developments warrant it the death of the 25-year-old New Jersey man was a closed book.

Minerva's body was found slumped in the seat of his coupe which had crashed into a telephone pole. Several arrests followed, Sgt. William Simon told the jury, but no evidence was obtained.

MAN KILLED BY AUTO

SCRANTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—George G. Rainey, 50, Wilkes-Barre, died today enroute to the Stroudsburg General hospital after he had been struck by an automobile.

Man Killed, Another Hurt In Collapse of Scaffolding

WILKES-BARRE, Sept. 8 (AP)—One man was killed and his brother-in-law injured seriously today as they plunged 120 feet from a smokesack they would have completed in another day.

The scaffolding broke as the two men put on the top layers of brick. Herbert Cedarblade, 32, of Wantagh, Long Island, N. Y., plunged to the ground outside the stack and died instantly. Francis Bradley, 40, also of Wantagh, fell inside and survived.

The men were employees of the American Chimney company, New York, and were building the stack at Natona Mills at nearby Dallas.

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Text of Answer to Wentzel Petition

The following is a partial text of District Attorney E. Arnold Forrest's arguments to the State Supreme court in answer to the petition by Gerald C. Wentzel's attorneys for reargument before the court. First part of the text is not published because of its frequent references to opinions handed down by the court in refusing Wentzel's appeal from a second degree murder conviction.

11. It is denied that the trial was premature and resulted in a record based on evidence which was unsatisfactory, inadequately evaluated and not fully developed or that pertinent facts were not considered or were stifled so as to result in a trial unfair to the defendant. On the contrary, from the facts indicated in the record it appeared that the victim was found on Dec. 9, 1946, that the defendant was arrested for the crime in the early days of January, 1947, and that the trial was not held until the week of April 7, 1947, giving full opportunity to the district attorney and defense counsel to fully develop all necessary testimony for a fair and adequate trial.

It is denied that this argument, for it cannot be considered a reason, is supported by the affidavit attached to the petition of John Wojcik, otherwise known as John Wojcik. It is submitted that this affidavit on its face shows the unreliability of the affiant, that it is indicative of a lack of veracity and

of the mentality of the affiant when he states therein "I was afraid that if I testified in behalf of Wentzel and told the truth that I might be charged with perjury."

It is further submitted that the context of the affidavit attached is of no weight and that the question of putrefaction and odor was adequately covered in the course of the testimony both on behalf of the Commonwealth and of the defendant, and is best answered by reference to the record at page 120a, when Dr. William L. Franck was being examined and the question was asked as follows:

"BY THE COURT: 'Q. Well, Doctor, I will ask this question: Was there any odor of putrefaction?' 'A. No, and the room itself under these conditions—it is none of my affairs—the room is warm enough to have fostered such atmosphere if it had been so, even though the window was up.'"

Further answer to this unreliable affidavit is produced in the testimony of the defendant, when at page 548a of the record the county coroner was under examination by defense counsel and was asked:

"Q. Was there an odor to the corpse?" "A. I can't say there was. I can't say there wasn't. I don't know about that."

It is further contended that the affidavit attached contains hearsay and vicious implications which are unwarranted and which the Commonwealth has no means to ascertain the validity thereof from the record, and it is further submitted that this is an attempt on the part of the defendant, through his counsel, to magnify and to subvert the actual testimony obtained in the record through an unreliable and unacceptable source.

12. IT IS EQUALLY DENIED that the defendant's contention that the trial was premature and resulted in a record based on evidence which was unsatisfactory, inadequately evaluated and not fully developed or that pertinent

facts were not countenanced or were stifled so as to result in a trial unfair to the defendant. It is further denied that these contentions or arguments are supported by the statement of W. L. Franck, a witness for the Commonwealth, obtained through defendant's current investigation.

It is interesting to note that in the course of the affidavit of Dr. Franck that the defendant or his counsel makes no reference whatever to the question of odor, though having full knowledge of Dr. Franck's testimony in this regard and having the benefit of the affidavit obtained from Wojcik, which consequence, it is submitted, is a matter of significance as to the sincerity of defendant's current investigation.

It is apparent from said affidavit that the doctor's affidavit was based upon conversations held with the current investigator, stressing the points deemed by him necessary to controvert and is apparent on its face that the basis of fact which he allegedly changes his opinion were from statements of said investigator and not from the record.

This affiant, your Honors will recall, was the Commonwealth witness so viciously attacked by counsel for defendant in the course of the oral argument, whose change of testimony is now suggested as a valid reason for reargument when his original testimony was criticized as "wholly unreliable."

It is submitted further that from said affidavit by Dr. Franck it appears that the information submitted to him was incorrect, in so far as the Commonwealth's contention was concerned, when it appears "I learned that the atmospheric conditions existing for 24 or 48 hours prior to the finding of the body..."

Under the Commonwealth's contention the murder took place Dec. 8, 1946, sometime between 11 and one o'clock at night. The body was found at approximately two o'clock the next afternoon, Dec. 9, so that 24 to 48 hours could not have transpired. It is argued that the doctor did not have the benefit of the testimony of various witnesses in expressing his opinion and yet from hearsay the defendant contends that he has changed his opinion as to time of death from the testimony of witnesses as undoubtedly related to him by the defendant's investigator.

Turning to the record it is interesting to note that the doctor in his original testimony, despite the contended four refrigeration factors, testified at page 110a of the

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15. IT IS DENIED that in the light of Dr. Franck's affidavit that the factors therein set forth are of any vital importance in the light of his testimony appearing in the record at page 110a, when he was under cross examination by the defendant's counsel. He stated: "I might add that the fluid contained in this fossa, receptacle—the fossa—probably would have been in a firmer state of consistency if it had been there longer. I mean more set, jellied. That is what I mean, and also if it had been a very much longer period—when I say very much longer, I mean possibly twenty-four hours longer, there would have

Preparing for a Big Blow



Grandma (Anna Mary Robertson) Moses (left), farm woman who turned artist at 76 and gained fame for her primitive rural scenes, takes a big breath for the 88 candles on her 1948 birthday cake. Joining her in a celebration at her Eagle Bridge, N. Y., home are (left to right) her son, Hugh, his wife and artist Norman Rockwell.

been very much slower escape of air from the lungs. I say that from a professional point of view."

It is submitted that Dr. Franck's affidavit is primarily based upon his opinion as stated therein, that he believes "the verdict rendered against Gerald C. Wentzel was a gross injustice," and that in an effort to impose his lay opinion in a legal matter he has been cajoled and importuned into taking an affidavit in an effort to assist the defendant in his effort to escape the inevitable consequences of his act.

It is further submitted that efforts of defense counsel in this respect have reached undue proportion and that the Commonwealth should be able to look forward to the time when this case and the sentence imposed thereunder can be regarded as having reached a conclusion.

It is submitted that the additional reasons and arguments presented by defendant through his counsel does not warrant reconsideration of the case by your Honorable Court in the interest of justice and therefore there is no reason in law or in justice to warrant a reargument of the case.

The district attorney of Montgomery county therefore makes answer opposing the application for reargument upon the additional reasons submitted.

DENIES ADDING MARKOS
PARIS, Sept. 8 (AP)—Albania denied today, in a note to the United Nations secretariat, that she is aiding the Markos forces in Greece.

3 Killed Abandoning C-47 As Chutes Fail to Open

EDMONTON, Alta., Sept. 8 (AP)—Three members of the U. S. Air Force were killed today when their parachutes failed to open after they bailed out of a stricken C-47 transport plane.

The plane, reported by officials to have been en route from Rome, N. Y., to Minneapolis, then crashed in a field near Watskiwin, 40 miles southeast of here, with three men still aboard.

Royal Canadian Air Force officials said the plane encountered unspecified trouble and its pilot, Lt. Brook Dubell of Philadelphia, ordered five of the eight men aboard to parachute. Three were killed and the other two were injured, one seriously, in the leap.

Dubell, his co-pilot and the engineer remained in the transport and it crashed. Dubell suffered a fractured pelvis, several fractured ribs and a possible spinal injury. He was brought to Edmonton hospital where his condition was reported as good.

EINSIEDEL ARRESTED
FRANKFURT, Germany, Sept. 8 (AP)—Count Heinrich von Einsiedel, a mysterious figure in the postwar tension between the United States and Russia, is in American custody and soon will face a court, the U. S. Army disclosed tonight.

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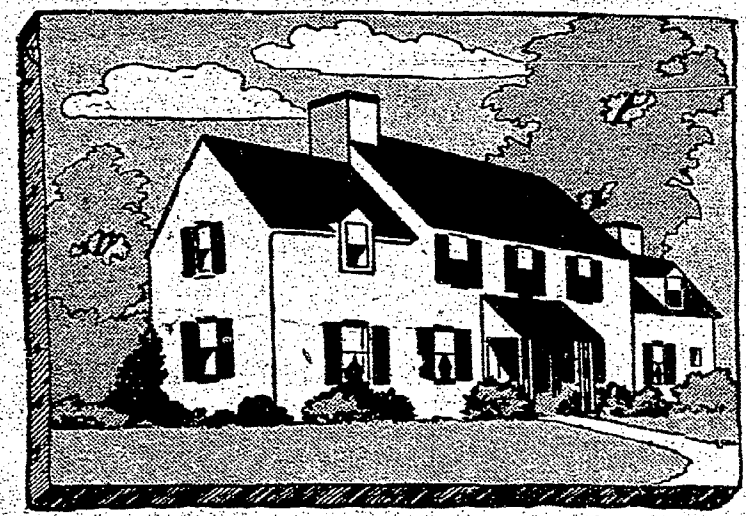
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New Hanover Grange Plans Rummage Sale For Building Fund

On Nov. 19, New Hanover Grange will take another step down the long path toward building a new grange hall, it was announced at a meeting last night.

A rummage sale on that date will swell the total of the long accumulating building fund which someday will buy the grange a new home.

Though the fund amounts to a little less than \$1000 now, plans for the building were crystallized long ago.

Several years ago, the grange bought a lot, 200 by more than 300 feet, on route 663, a few blocks south of the intersection with Swamp pike, the center of New Hanover.

WHEN THE COST of building decreases some day, Mrs. Beatrice Smale, publicity chairman, said, and the building fund is adequate, a new home will be built there.

The present hall is situated opposite Swamp hotel on the Swamp pike.

Until that day, Mrs. Smale said, the grange will go on collecting for the fund in "drabs and drabs," such as the rummage sale.

Six candidates received the Third and Fourth degrees of initiation at last night's meeting.

All Montgomery county candidates will be given the fifth degree at Keystone Grange, Trappe, on Sept. 25.

Forty members were present last night. Roger Moyer, master, was in charge.

ACCIDENTS —

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driving collided at the John T. Dyer company quarry, Monocacy.

Amole was treated for injuries of the right leg, knee and arm; while Cane was treated for a stomach injury.

Both men were discharged after receiving hospital attention.

TWO CARS WERE damaged slightly in an accident last night at 11 o'clock on West High street opposite Johnny's Service station.

George Kinckner, 134 Beech street, told Motor Patrolman Thomas A. Lawler and Patrolman Joseph Thees he was driving east in the center lane, and was starting to pull into the station when the other car struck his vehicle in the rear.

The other driver, also east-bound, was Edward J. Eckenrode, 20 Reynolds avenue. His car had its left front fender and grill damaged, while Kinckner's had a damaged rear right fender and torn bumper.

STOCK COMPANY —

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Heddy director, Robert Marquet, business manager, and Mrs. Alice Yocum, clipping service chairman.

In "Henrietta Behave," Mrs. Manthorne has named Miss Bell and Burdette Pinkbrier to play the lead roles. Others in the cast will be Robert Leveille, Miss Rae Calvario, Mrs. Marie Dengler, Mrs. Yocum, Miss Betty Zueno, Steven Demediuk, Mrs. Ruth Emery, Mr. Marquet and Long.

Understudy roles, have gone to Bryce Manthorne, Mrs. Adelaide Bowen and Mrs. Jane Suydam.

Victims of Candy Vat Blast



Two victims of a blast which wrecked the plant of a large Chicago candy company are shown here receiving emergency treatment. Three workers were dead, 14 missing and more than a dozen injured. Witnesses stated that the explosion apparently had been caused by corn starch in a candy mixing vat. Seven persons were blown completely from the building.

SOVIETS REFUSE —

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cided with an apparent big four deadlock over Soviet demands for veto power on currency control that stalled negotiations for settlement of the East-West conflict over blockaded Berlin.

Soviet sector police headquarters said in a statement last night that 60 persons have been arrested in and near city hall since Monday. The building is in the Soviet sector of Berlin.

More than 40 of these were western sector policemen called to city hall by the municipal government to help protect the building from the rioters. Two of the 60 have been released, the statement added.

Hog. Frank Howley, the U. S. commandant, who told newsmen earlier, "we have now reached the pushing-off-the-sidewalk stage in Berlin."

He protested against the Communist pressure tactics aimed at overthrowing the present elected city government, telling Kotikov "the blame rests on the Russians because the German police in the Soviet sector obey only Russian orders."

MYERS IRKED —

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would still be a few days before the "council meeting."

Council will meet Monday. Receipt of the commission's recommendations and the recommendations of the police committee and final appointment of the second street sergeant will be on the agenda.

Myers declared he had received The Mercury daily while he was on vacation.

"When I left I thought everything was in order," he remarked as he told of his growing bewilderment at the turn of events since Aug. 27. "Now it's all upset again. I want to find out what's going on around here!"

Manufacturing plants have more than 41,000 fires annually.

WENTZEL CASE —

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change of mind about when Mrs. Green was strangled was the result of obtaining "hearsay" facts from Detective Paul Kleinspehn.

Dr. Franck said he changed his mind about his testimony at the trial to the effect that Mrs. Green's body had only been dead about 12 hours before it was found.

He said he was influenced in changing his mind by learning that the room might have been cold for 24 to 48 hours before the body was found.

FORREST, WHO WAS not yet in office when Wentzel was convicted, did not dwell on the details of Wojack's charges about the investigation by the Commonwealth and local police.

But Forrest denied categorically that there had been any stifling of pertinent facts, and pointed out that Wentzel's trial did not begin for four months after the murder.

After mentioning that Dr. Franck's affidavit made no mention of the odor of Mrs. Green's body, the district attorney, by implication questioned "the sincerity of the defendant's current investigation."

Forrest added that he believes the "efforts of defense counsel . . . have reached undue proportion and that the Commonwealth should be able to look forward to the time when this case and the sentence . . . can be regarded as having reached a conclusion."

Wentzel now is serving a 10-to-20 year term in the Eastern penitentiary at Graterford.

Firemen Answer Two Minor Calls

Pottstown firemen were called to two minor fires last night.

At 6:06 o'clock, Good Will Fire and Empire Hook and Ladder companies were summoned to 645 Water street, where smoke was pouring from a kerosene stove used by Mrs. Graham O'Day to cook a chicken.

When they arrived, the scorched chicken had been removed.

After making sure that there was no further trace of fire, firemen left without going into service.

At 8:35 p. m. the Goodies were called to King street, between Hanover and Penn streets, where a short circuit in the motor of a 1948 car owned by Ernest E. Mutter, 373 Beech street, started a short-lived fire.

Firemen disconnected the battery and went home.

201 Added to Draft Rolls As Halfway Mark Passes

Draft board registrars added another 201 men to their rolls yesterday as the post-war draft reached the halfway point.

Men born in 1926 may continue to register today, while those born in 1927 will sign up tomorrow and Saturday, between 8 a. m. and 5 p. m. in borough hall council chambers.

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'Be Prepared'



Joseph C. Grew (above), veteran United States diplomat, said in a speech at Manchester, Mass., last night that we should hold out the hand of friendship to Moscow—but always be prepared for war. He addressed a meeting at the Congregational church.

Top Canadian Prize Goes to Local Dog

TORONTO, Sept. 8 (AP)—"Kilburn Ideal," a Doberman Pinscher owned by Mr. and Mrs. Claude Shelton, Schuylkill road, Kenilworth, Pa., tonight was judged best in show at the Canadian National National Exhibition Dog show.

Best in show is the top rating given, and is open to dogs of any breed.

The prize winner was bred by Mrs. Paul Kilburn, Shanesville.

Wolves Meet Their Match; Soviet Airman Kills 214

MOSCOW, Sept. 8 (AP)—S. M. Gorbunov has been given more than 60,000 roubles in prizes and a large quantity of consumer goods for shooting and killing 214 wolves from an airplane. "Soviet Agriculture" says Gorbunov is a worker in a Kazan factory which makes spare parts for tractors. His job is to fly the parts to tractor stations and see to their installation.

On one of his trips he noticed a group of wolves. He signaled his pilot to fly lower and ended on this trip by killing nine of them. He bagged the others on later trips.

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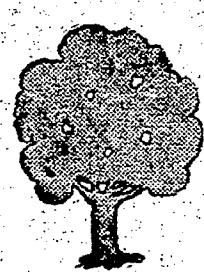
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In Hospital



England's Prime Minister Clement Attlee (above) is in a London hospital for treatment of an ulcer. He entered the hospital two weeks ago for eczema of the foot. That condition cleared up but he then came down with the ulcer. Several weeks of treatment will be necessary, the hospital reported yesterday.

FAGLEYSVILLE

Mrs. Dorothy Geisler, corr. Phone Pottstown 703-4. J. Ernest Berghof, delivery.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Greiner and daughter, of West Chester, called on Mr. and Mrs. William Greiner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wagner, of Glenside, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Geisler, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Yerk and son, Fred, spent several days at Peck's pond in the Poconos.

Mr. Herbert B. Wagner called on Mrs. Emma Wagner of Pottstown.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Landis spent a day with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Lloyd and family of Drexel Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. George Goetz and family, and Mrs. Edwin Ritter, all of Philadelphia, spent an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mercer spent a day in Philadelphia and an evening with Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Greiner and family.

Mrs. William Acker attended the Reading biennial at the Reading fairgrounds.

Sparks falling on wooden shingle roofs caused 29,000 fires in the U. S. in one year.

STOWE GROUP —

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ground, also sponsored by the association, was termed a "fair success," not for lack of player interest but because of a dearth of volunteer adult officials.

Carl Delacato, president, announced that Dr. E. J. Hamborsky, the community's first physician, who came to Stowe largely because of the association's efforts, is setting up his office. He will begin practice soon.

The association will investigate immediately cost and details of insecticide spraying for the whole town, it was voted. The spraying, by airplane, may be done next year.

AS FURTHER attack on insect breeding, the association urged that vacant lots grown up in weeds be mowed, thus simultaneously cutting down on hay fever spread.

Meeting night of the group was changed from the second Wednesday of the month to the first Tuesday in an effort to get a bigger attendance.

WEAVER TOWN

Mrs. Daniel Madala, corr. Phone Birdsboro 2-4023. Ralph Trainer, delivery.

Mrs. William Weiser visited her granddaughter, Doris Roberts at Eaglesmere.

Albert Kutz spent the weekend with his cousin, Frank Kutz at Pittsburgh. The trip was made by airplane.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Harry Schofer accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Earl Yergey of St. Lawrence on a weekend trip to Rehoboth Beach, Del.

Mrs. Don Stewart and son, Kenneth, returned home from a four weeks visit with relatives in Tallahassee, Fla., and Ellaville, Georgia.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Demming had as their weekend guests Mr. and Mrs. Charles Renipfer and daughters, Elmira and Adele, of Bristol.

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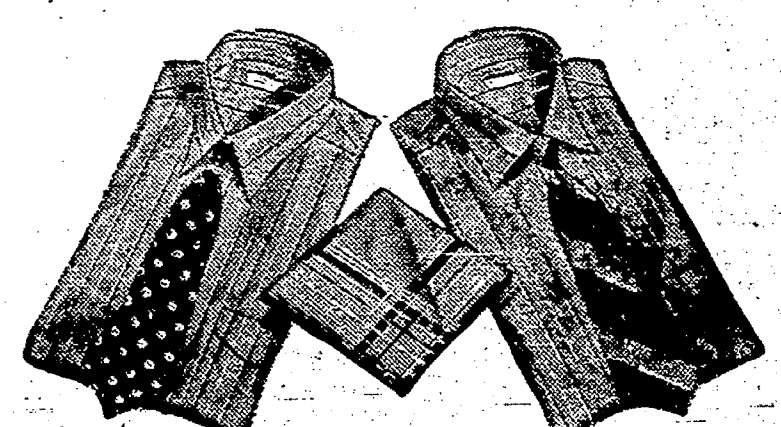
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To a great number of persons the observance of the 60th wedding anniversary would be a signal for a "top off" celebration, with the best silver, china and glassware, but to Mr. and Mrs. Newton Manwiller, 611 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, it was just another day.

True, during the day their minds did stray again and again to that rainy day 60 years ago, and Mrs. Manwiller recalled the gray suit and large hat that was part of her bridal array for the trip to the parsonage.

They were married in Friedensburg by the Rev. Isaac Starr without attendants and without guests. Though the rain came down in sheets on their trip to the parsonage, the sun managed to break through and broke out smiling as the bride and bridegroom came through the door.

IT HAS SMILED on them nearly constantly ever since, with the couple having but a minimum of trouble or sickness. Mr. Manwiller is 82 and his wife is 81, but despite their age are in excellent health and able to do all of their own work.

Mrs. Manwiller does all her cooking, baking, laundry and scrubbing without the tiniest bit of help from anyone. Her husband, a cabinet-maker for the greater part of his married life, still is quite active in his little shop at the back of the house. The largest part of his work is the restoration of antiques and the building of chairs from original antiques.

One of the proudest pieces of his possessions is a copy of a spool chair he made 54 years ago. He saw the chair on the porch of an uncle's home, where the picture in his memory's eye created an exact duplicate.

HE WAS FIRST employed by an agricultural concern in Fleetwood, saying there for seven years, then worked with E. M. Mill, a furniture maker and undertaker at the same place for 11 years. Here he met with an accident that left his right hand crippled.

Seeking bench cabinet work he came to the Boyertown Casket factory 46 years ago, bringing his family to the home where he now resides. For 23 years, leaving to open his own cabinet shop.

After Mr. Manwiller was 60 years of age, he decided to buy a car and try his luck at learning to drive. He and his wife were completely fascinated with the contraption and hung on to the same one for 13 years. On the occasion of their 48th anniversary they decided to give themselves the present of another car and yesterday the car observed its 12th birthday anniversary with Mr. Manwiller still in the driver's seat.

The couple attribute their good health and long years to regular living. They always get up at the same hour, eat at the same time and relax at the same time, year in, year out. Mrs. Manwiller is quite certain that a good deal of the credit

goes to the very fine cooking of his wife.

THE GREATEST delights of the pair's lives have been their many trips to Detroit, by rail and by car, to visit their son, Clarence. Their last visit was made in 1938 with Mr. Manwiller driving a great proportion of the distance. However, he is a bit afraid that that will be his last trip to Michigan, at least with himself doing the driving.

Mrs. Manwiller was the former Lizzie Schlegel, eldest daughter of 13 children of Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Schlegel, Fleetwood, while her husband was one of 15 children of Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Manwiller.

They are the parents of three sons, Clarence, Detroit, Lloyd, Hazelton and Walter, East Fourth street, Boyertown. They have one grandchild, Paul, also of Boyertown.

The sturdy Pennsylvania Dutch people stated that it never occurred to them to have a party or "fixing" for their anniversary. On their Golden anniversary they did have a celebration, but sort of thought that one such celebration was enough to last a life time. So he sanded some wood on a chair and she jarred a few more cans of elderberries, and both thought that yesterday was just as wonderful as the day 60 years ago.

Social Calendar

Ladies' auxiliary of Goodwill Fire company—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the fire hall.

Women's Missionary society of Trinity Evangelical Congregational church—Meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the church basement. Miss Doris Levensgood, Philadelphia, will be the guest speaker.

Ladies' auxiliary of the Empire Hook and Ladder Fire company—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the fire hall.

Doe Club—Dinner meeting tonight at 6:30 o'clock at the Elk's home.

Ladies of the Moose—Executive meeting tonight at 8 o'clock; regular meeting at 8:15 o'clock in the Moose home. A birthday party will follow.

Amvet auxiliary—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in the Post home. A social and package auction will follow.

Adriatic Bible Class Zion's Reformed church—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. John Gauger, 318 Rosedale drive.

Ladies' Aid society of Evangelical United Brethren church—Meeting tonight at 8 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Lorin Ellis, 538 Spruce street.

Woman's Missionary society of Trinity Reformed church—Meeting this afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Paul Towers, 127 Chestnut street.

Visiting Nurse Association—Well baby clinic this afternoon from 2 until 4 o'clock in the YWCA building.

Women's Christian Temperance Union—Meeting this afternoon at 2 o'clock in the Sunday school room of the First Methodist church.

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JWL Members Hear Dr. Schorsch Speak At Opening Meeting

Dr. Emil Schorsch, rabbi of Mercy and Truth synagog, gave a talk on sisterhood and religion last night to the members of the Jewish Women's league at a meeting in the synagog, with Mrs. Sol Borger, president, presiding.

Mrs. Emil Schorsch led in the prayer and the salute to the flag. Two new members, Mrs. Milton Stein and Mrs. Lawrence Pfam, were introduced to the group by Mrs. Leon Levitz, program chairman. The speaker was introduced by Mrs. Arthur Weitzkorn.

It was announced that Mrs. Fanny Phillips was appointed chairman of the blanket club, and Mrs. Nathan Hoffman, Mrs. Joseph Prince, Mrs. Maurice Miller and Mrs. Sol Borger will attend the Eastern Branch of the JWL meeting to be held in Lehighton on Wednesday, Sept. 15.

MEMBERS WHO WILL attend the National Women's league convention in Atlantic City, N. J., on Nov. 18 to 23, are Mrs. Nathan Hoffman, Mrs. Henry Pollock, Mrs. Sol Borger and Mrs. Sol Weintraub.

Chairman of the needlework guild, Mrs. Sidney Pollock, announced that the next meeting will be held on Monday, Sept. 13 from 1:30 to 4 o'clock in the synagog, while Mrs. Emanuel Berman, dance committee chairman, announced that the Yom Kippur dance will be held on Oct. 13.

Following the meeting, refreshments were served and a social hour was enjoyed. Hostesses for the evening were: Mrs. Milton Adler; Mrs. Emanuel Berman, Mrs. George Berman, Mrs. Sol Berman and Mrs. Herbert Batt.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Harry G. Toland, 815 Spruce street, announce the birth of a daughter yesterday in Pennsylvania hospital, Philadelphia.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Abraham Benner, Boyertown, yesterday in Memorial hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reifinger, Hilldale, became the parents of a son yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Minford, Schwenksville, RD 1, are being congratulated on the birth of a daughter yesterday in Pottstown hospital.

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Recent Bride



Mrs. Francis J. Koren, (above) before her marriage recently in St. Aloysius Catholic church was Miss Dolores T. Etzel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael J. Etzel, 72 West Fifth street. Her husband is a son of Mrs. Mary Koren, 330 Cherry street.

Speer Home Is Scene Of Auxiliary Meeting

The ways and means and the sewing committees of the Salvation Army auxiliary met yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Fay Speer, Kgnilworth, to make final plans for the coming year.

Mrs. Frances Leh, chairman of the ways and means committee, and Mrs. Hazel Peifer, chairman of the sewing committee, were in charge of the meeting.

Some of the activities planned for the Fall and Winter seasons are: a rummage sale some time in November; participation in the Navy Mother's bazaar in December; and the annual dinner in January.

It was announced that all meetings will be held the third Monday of the month and that the next meeting will be held on Sept. 20 in the citadel.

Those present were: Mrs. Meral Cox, Mrs. O. C. Bearcraft, Mrs. George Kulp, Mrs. James Montague, Mrs. Howard Wolf, Mrs. Rose Weidenbaugh, Mrs. Vivian Newhall and Mrs. Betty Miller.

Swede Reunion Held At Pughtown Home Of Mr. Elmer Skiles

Members of the Swede family, all descendants of the late Leonard and Elizabeth (Smith) Swede, gathered Monday at the country home of Elmer Skiles, near Pughtown, for their annual reunion.

Four children of the couple are still living, Miss Mary Swede; Mrs. Clara Kern, Ellendale, N. D.; Mrs. Ida Zollers, Collegeville, and Mrs. Kate Nicom. Five other children are deceased, though all lived to adulthood.

The guests gathered in the morning with a large country style picnic served at noon followed by games and music. Honor guests of the day were Mr. and Mrs. Abe Kern and granddaughter, Kathleen Kern, from Hiawatha, Kansas.

MISS MARY SWEDE, Pottstown, received the award for the oldest person present, while the youngest child was Bruce Allen Jones, ten months, Douglassville.

Group singing was enjoyed with Mrs. Esther Neiman and Mr. Walter De Prefontaine accompanying. Later the children played games with baseball and football following.

In cluded among those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Zollers, Agnes Zollers, Helen Zollers, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Casey, Mrs. Elizabeth Casey, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Hartley, Robert Hartley, Grace Landis, Mr. and Mrs. Martin C. Jones, Keith Edward Jones, Carol Diane Jones, Bruce Alan Jones, Mr. and Mrs. William Neiman, William Neiman Jr., Kathleen Neiman and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin B. Swede.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Elmer T. Heimbach, E. Thomas Heimbach Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Walter DePreFontaine, Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Zollers, Mrs. Ida Zollers, Sandra Zollers, Mrs. Mary Eagle, Miss Mary Swede, Mrs. Kate Ulcom, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Jacobs, Miss Grace Nicom, Buddy Walcott, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Blossom, Mr. Alfred Zollers, Alfred Zollers Jr., William Zollers, Barbara Ann Zollers, Linda Ann Zollers, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Skiles, John Skiles and Sharon Skiles.

Also Dale Skiles, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Ziegler, Jeanette Ziegler, Bobby Ziegler, Alfred Yarger, as well as guests from Norristown, Lansdale, North Wales and Kansas.

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Miss Helen Ward Honored On Birthday Anniversary

A surprise party was held recently by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ward in their home, 537 Chestnut street, in honor of the birthday anniversary of their daughter, Helen.

Games were played and a luncheon was served on a table which had a birthday cake as its centerpiece.

Present were: Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Clouser, Mr. and Mrs. William Clouser, Miss Helen Ward, Mr. Elmer Smith, Miss Barbara Walters, Mr. Harry Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Gotta and the host and hostess.

Emil Kovach Returns From Summer Theater

Emil Kovach will return to his home, 353 Cherry street, today, following the closing of the Ogunquit Summer Playhouse in Ogunquit, Md., where he has been actively engaged all Summer with the theater stock company there, playing in each of the productions presented.

Among the shows which he took part in included, "Seven Keys to Baldpate," "Excursion," "Ting Ling," "Ring Around Elizabeth," "The Legend of Leonora" and "Juno and the Paycock."

At the presentation of the last play, Mr. Kovach had among his audience, Miss Anna Kovach, his sister.

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Auditing Group Appointed At Lady Wittenmyer Lodge

Mrs. Ruth Rittenhouse was appointed chairman of the auditing committee by Noble Grand, Mae Dersh, last night at a meeting of members of the Lady Wittenmyer lodge in the Odd Fellows building. Others on the committee are Mrs. Kathryn Dickison and Mrs. Salome Mest.

Visitors at the meeting included Mrs. Geneva Kramer, district deputy president and members from the Collegeville lodge.

Plans for future events were made including the installation of officers, Oct. 27; a rummage sale, Saturday, an oyster supper, Sept. 25 and a jar day at the Rebekah home in Norristown, when all members will bring jars of canned goods to the folks there.

Special pig-in-the-box winners were Mrs. Florence Hartman and Mrs. Ethel Klaus, while pin-in-the-box winners were Mrs. Dickison and Mrs. Dersh.

At the next meeting of the group, Sept. 22, a birthday social will be held.

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Miss Norma Schantzenbach Becomes Bride Of W. S. Hollenbach in Lutheran Church

In a beautiful double ring ceremony in St. John's Lutheran church, Sunnyside, Miss Norma Schantzenbach, 144 North Main street, Pottstown, and Mr. William S. Hollenbach, 634 East Philadelphia avenue, Boyertown, were recently united in holy matrimony.

Miss Schantzenbach is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schantzenbach while the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick J. Hollenbach.

The ceremony was performed by the Rev. E. L. Angstadt, pastor, before an altar decorated with palms and white gladioli. Mrs. Stella K. Sowers, of Green Lane, presided at the organ and played, "Oh Promise Me," "I Love You Truly," "At Dawning," "O, Sweet Mystery of Life," and "Because."

GIVEN IN marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a white satin gown styled with a yoke of illusion netting, long sleeves which were pointed over the wrists, a fitted bodice and a full skirt. Her fingertip veil fell from a crown of seed pearls and she carried a prayer book with red roses and baby's breath.

Mrs. John W. Pfeiffer, East Greenville, matron of honor and sister of the bride, wore a blue taffeta gown fashioned after the bride's gown with capelet sleeves. She carried an old fashioned bouquet of red roses and wore a tiara of red roses in her hair.

Maid of honor was Miss Kathryn Gayman, of Thompsonstown, while the bridesmaid was Miss Peggy Pegley, of Pottstown. Their gowns were the same as the one worn by the matron of honor in colors of orchid and pink. They wore tiaras of red roses in their hair and carried old fashioned bouquets of red roses.

BEST MAN was Mr. Luther Schroyer, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, Boyertown. Mr. Milton Herchenrider, Philadelphia, and Mr. William Fluman, of Pittsburgh, were the ushers.

Mrs. Schantzenbach, mother of the bride, wore a gray dress with black accessories and a corsage of white pompons, while the mother of the groom, Mrs. Hollenbach, chose a navy blue dress with matching accessories and a corsage of white pompons.

About 125 guests attended the reception which was in the social room of St. John's church following the wedding.

When Mr. and Mrs. Hollenbach left for their honeymoon trip to the Poconos, the bride was attired in a gray tailored suit with brown accessories. Upon their return, they will

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Carolyn Lucille Saylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Saylor, 1379 Queen street, aged nine years.

Carl Davis Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Davis, 159 Chestnut street, Spring City, aged 14 years.

John Onufryk Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. John Onufryk, 238 Berks street, Stowe, aged two years.

Betty Jane Bailey, Pottstown RD 3, aged 19 years.

Charles Daniels, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Daniels, 376 Beech street.

Constance Kinckiner, 1001 North Evans street.

Neil Mahr, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mahr, Pottstown RD 4.

Robert Oliver, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harding Oliver, Hilldale.

Paul Kovach, 371 New street.

Paul B. Reinford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Reinford, North Price street.

William Witman, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Witman, 1449 Cherry Lane.

Shirley Maurer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maurer, 460 Buttonwood street, Stowe.

Earl I. Riegner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Riegner, 18 West Third street.

David Stetler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Stetler, Walnut street, Stowe.

Paul Fox, Pottstown RD 3.

Jacqueline D. Mauger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mauger, 357 North Washington street.

Jean Fisher, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fisher, 557 Lincoln avenue.

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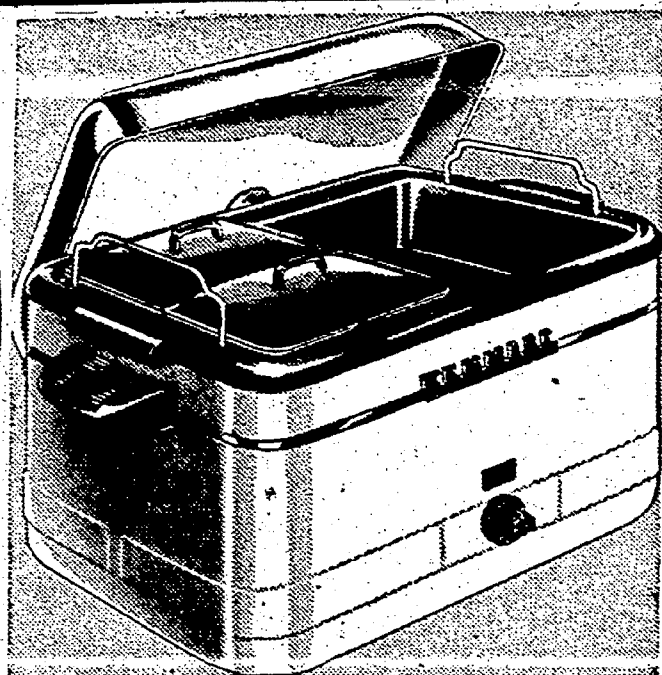
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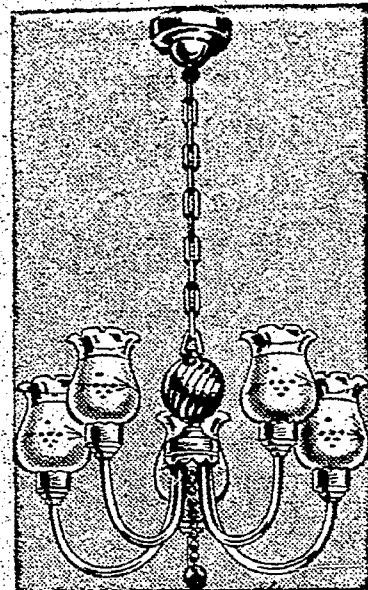
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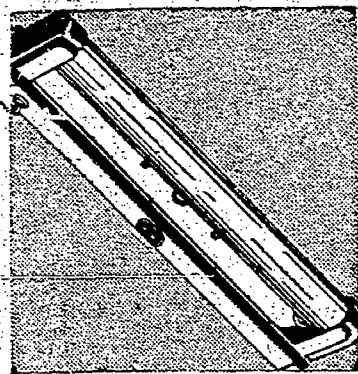
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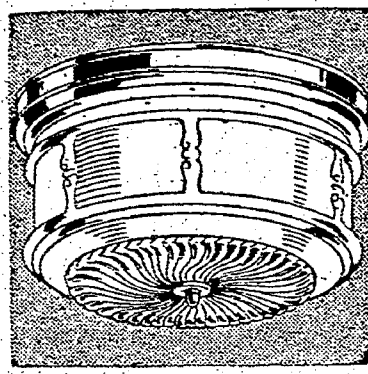
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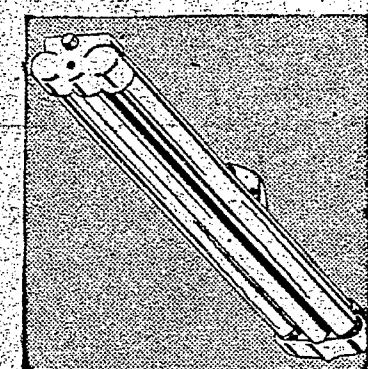


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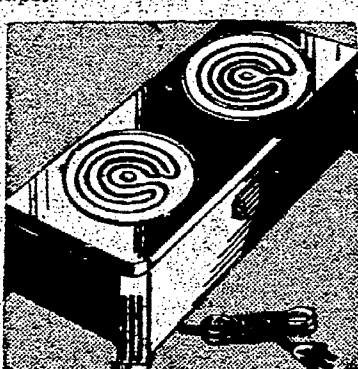


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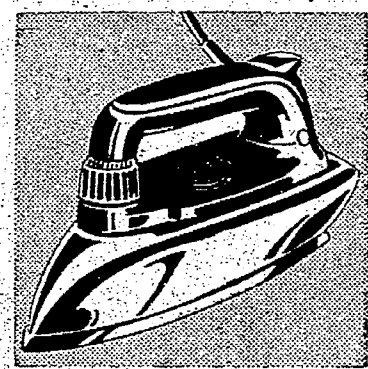
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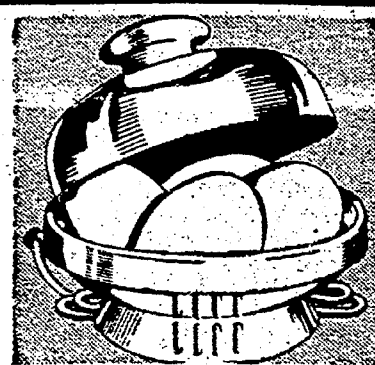
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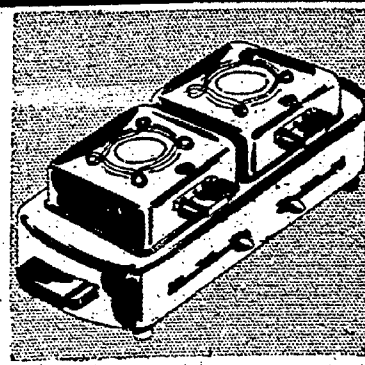
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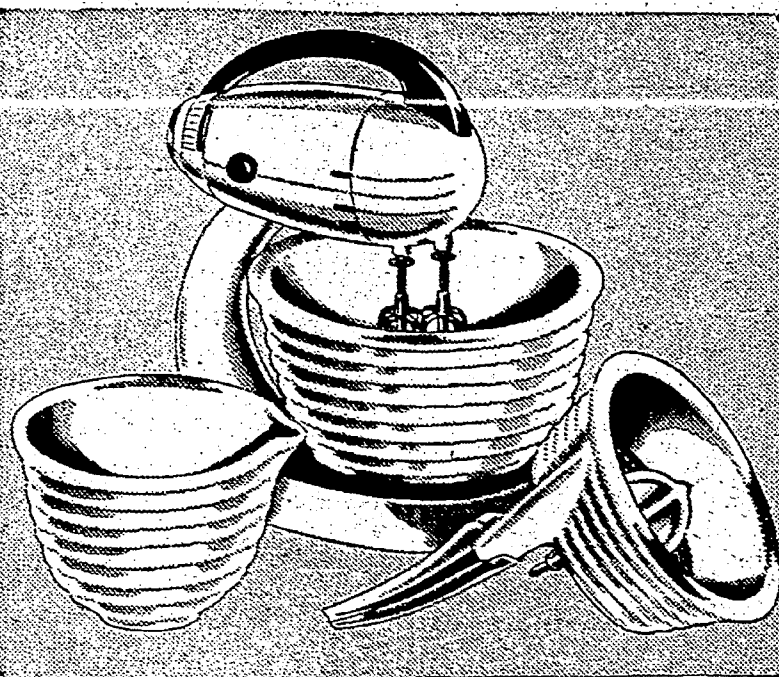
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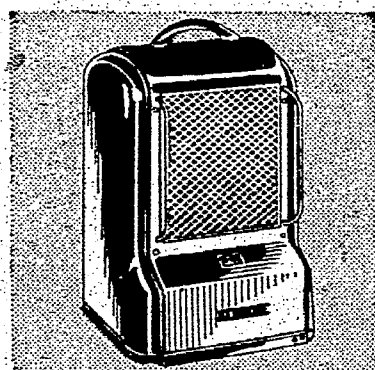
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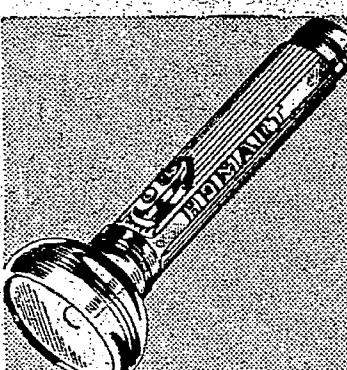
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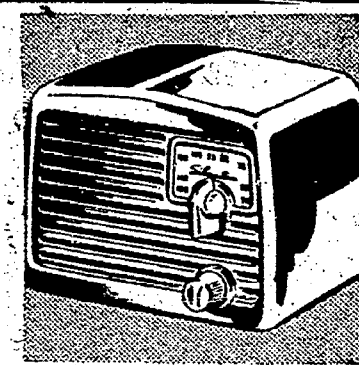
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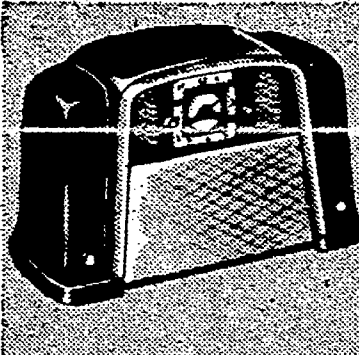
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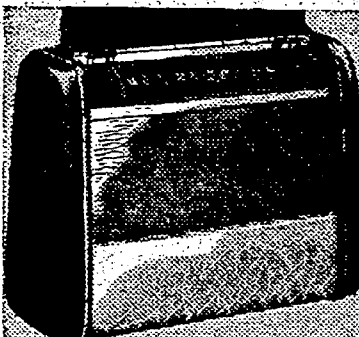
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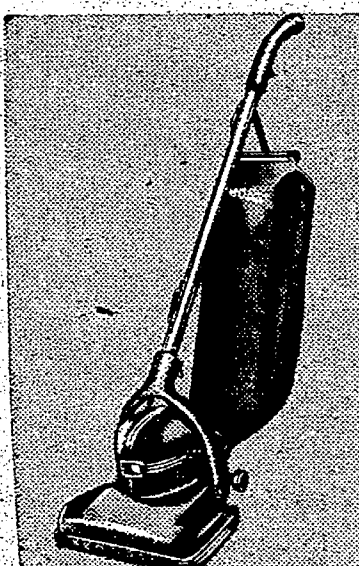
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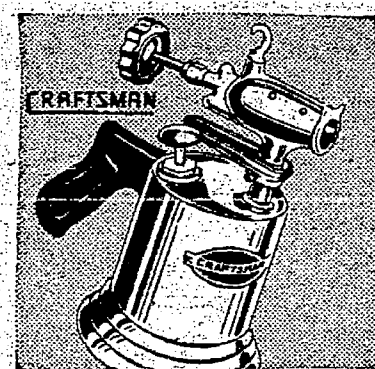
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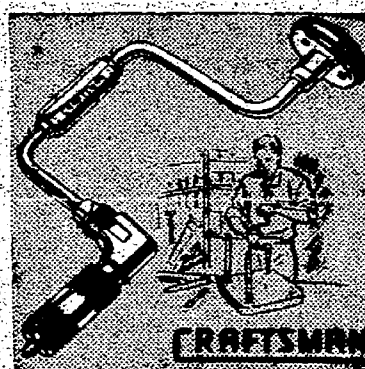
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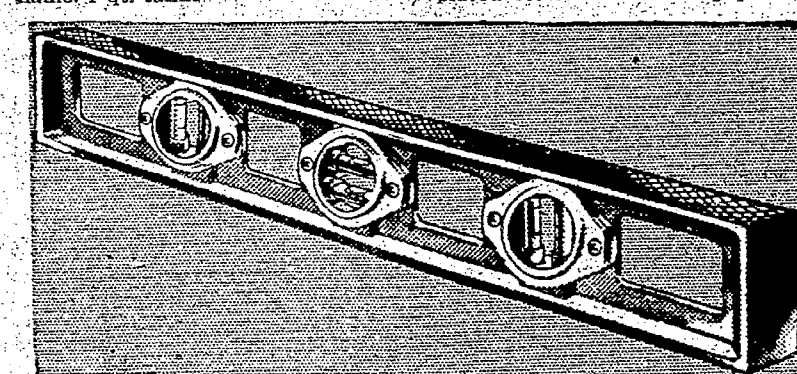
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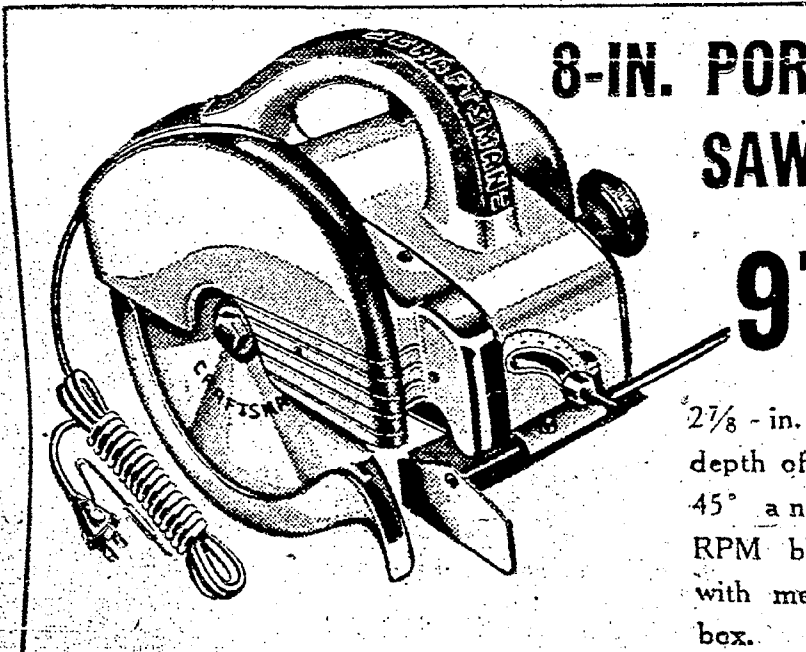
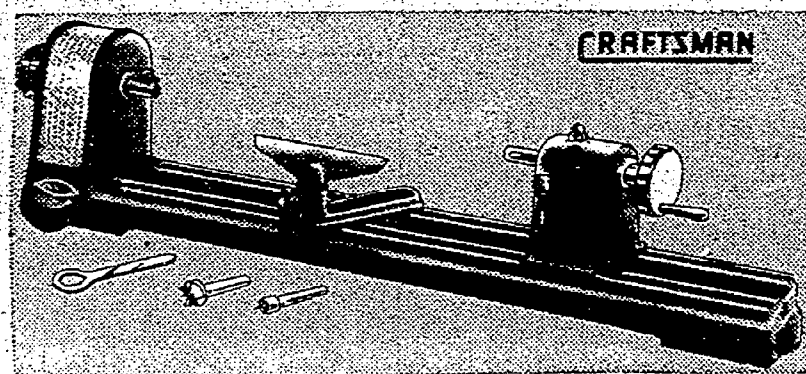
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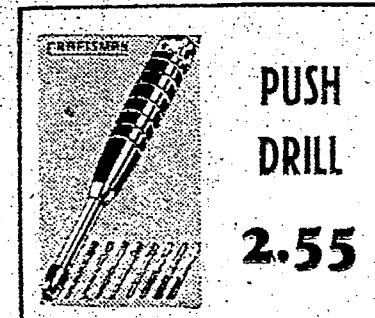


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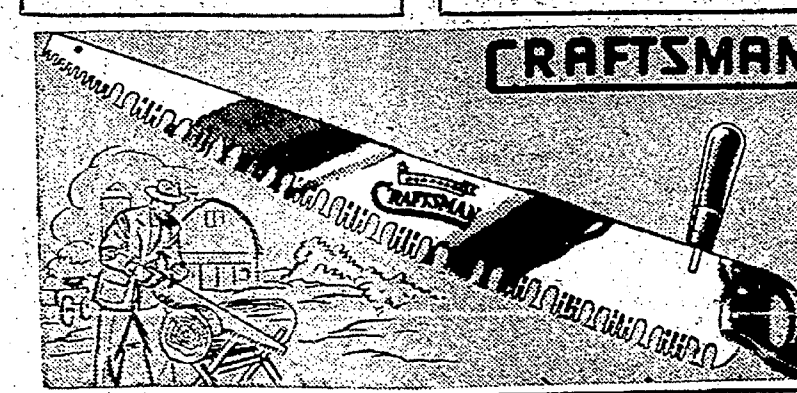
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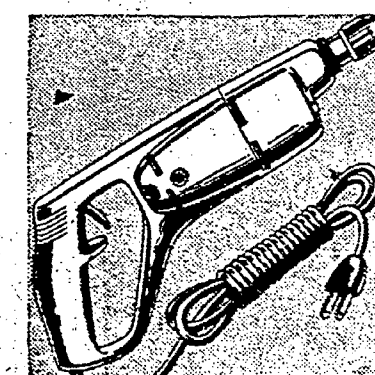


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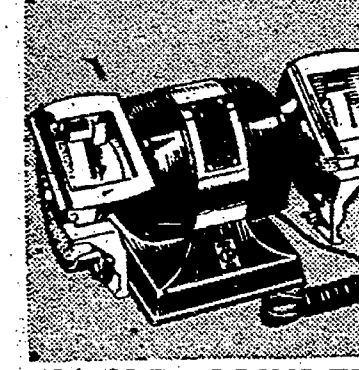
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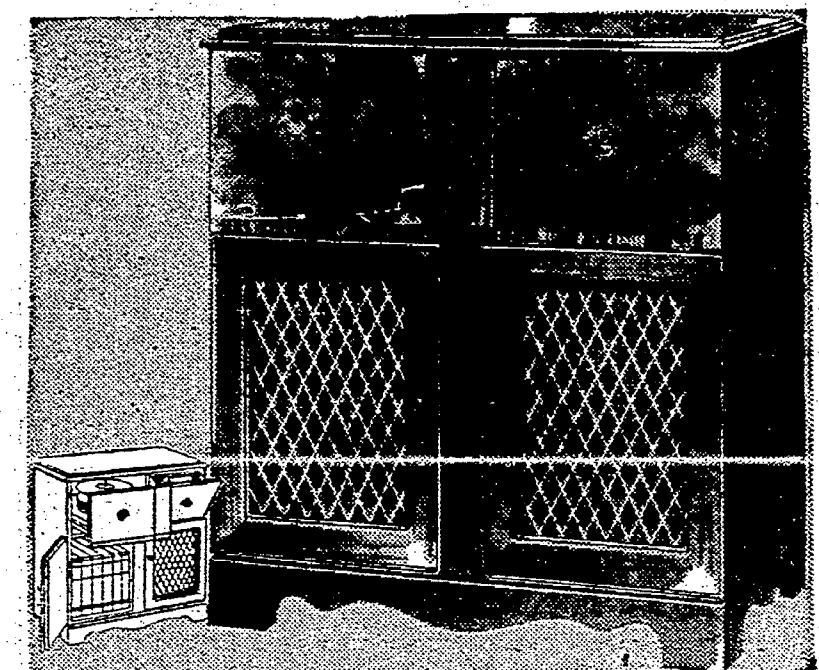
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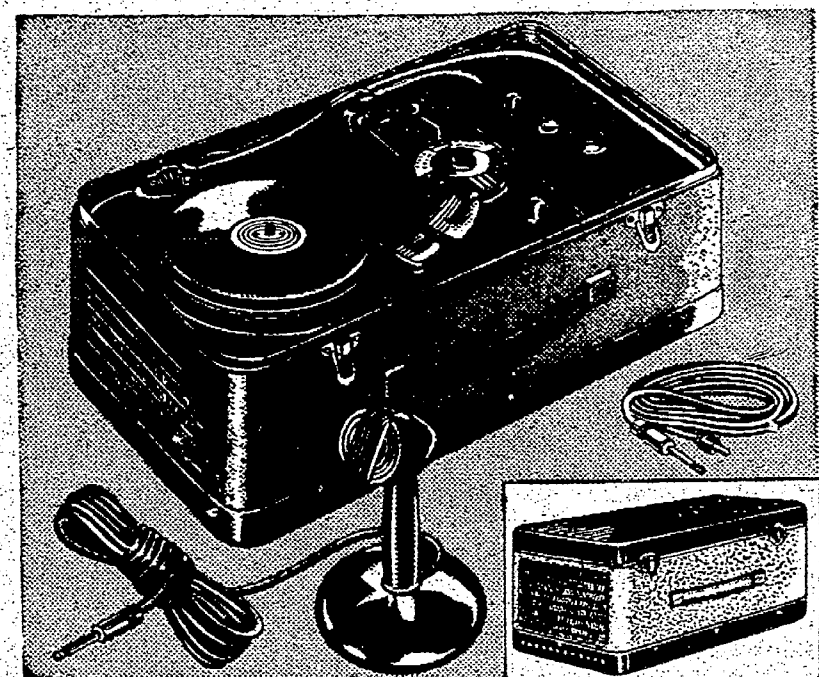
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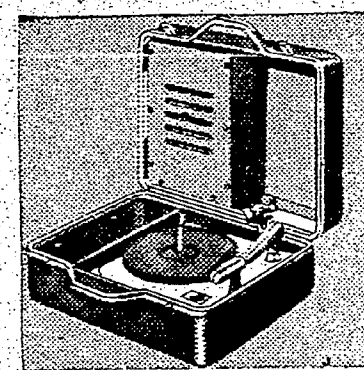
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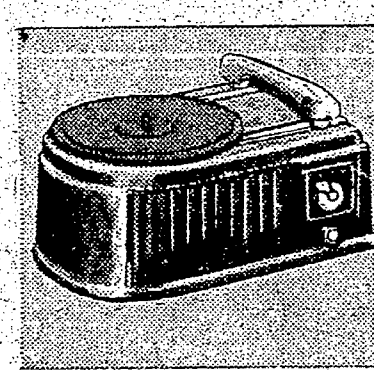
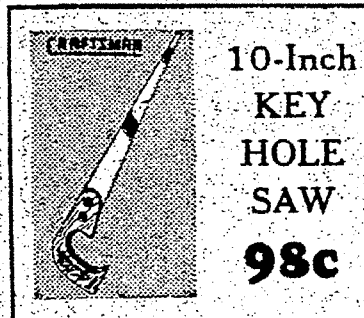


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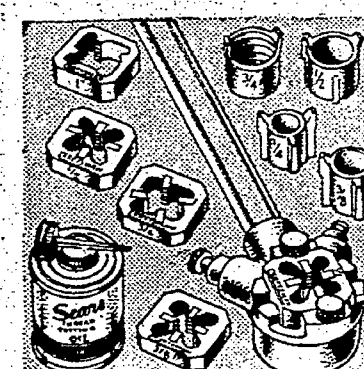
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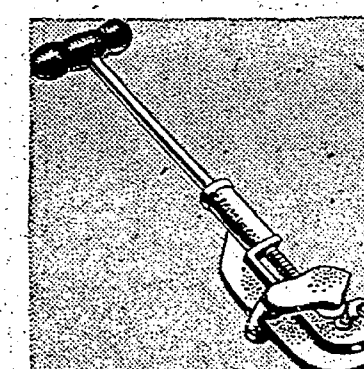
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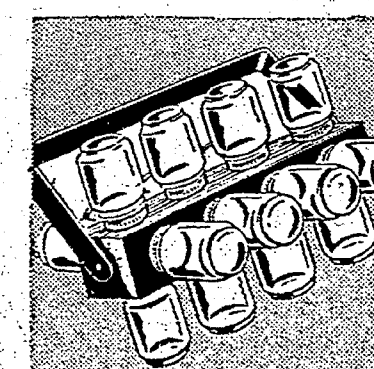
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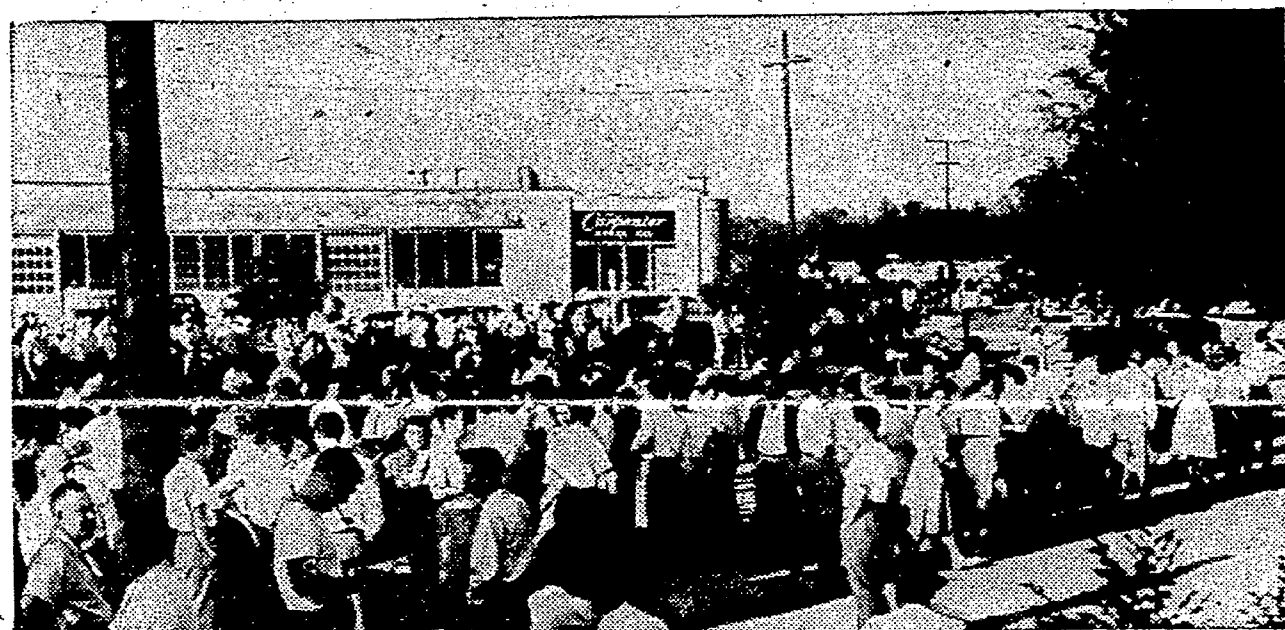
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Auto Workers Out of Work Because of Strike



A large group of workers is shown outside a Detroit auto plant after a strike by 170 plant guards threw 50,000 men out of work.

Czechs Guard Against Revolt At Benes Rites

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia, Sept. 8 (AP)—The Communist government, jittery over fears of a putsch, guarded every step of the State funeral for former President Eduard Benes today. Regular troops with bayonets, military police and armed civilian factory guards kept watch.

The factory guards poured out after emergency factory meetings at which they were told to take any measures to prevent the Benes funeral from being used to overthrow the government.

In a last minute change of plans, the funeral procession was re-routed from Hradecny castle, where Benes sat as president, to Pankrac prison. Here a hastily constructed platform was erected beneath the walls for the cabinet to review the cortege.

The change avoided narrow winding streets and kept the public on more easily policed thoroughfares.

THE FUNERAL ORATION: by Communist Premier Antonin Zapotocky in the black-draped Hall of Fame in Prague museum was brief. Communist President Klement Gottwald and Mrs. Gottwald were at the funeral but did not take part in the procession.

The large of Droraks "New World symphony," familiar to many as the melody of "Going Home," and a Hussite hymn were the only requiem for Benes, a Roman Catholic. He died the past Friday after resigning his office rather than sign the Communist constitution.

Zapotocky said "his deeds speak for Dr. Benes. By his work for our fatherland and the republic he doubtlessly built himself an immortal monument in the heart of our people. Our nation, and especially the working people, will never forget the part the late president had in building our new peoples democratic order."

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Strike by 170 Plant Guards Idles 50,000 Auto Workers

DETROIT, Sept. 8 (AP)—A strike of 170 plant guards threw 50,000 Detroit auto workers out of their jobs today and threatened to affect still more.

The strike completely closed the eight Detroit plants of the Briggs Manufacturing company, idling 25,000 of its workers.

Nineteen thousand Chrysler corporation employees were sent home when a shortage of Briggs bodies stopped Chrysler assembly lines.

The Packard Motor Car company sent home 6,000 of its workers for the same reason and told them not to report back "until further notice."

If the Briggs strike continues, Packard and Chrysler will be completely shut down, spokesmen said.

The guards, members of Local 114, United Plant Guard Workers of America (Ind.), struck over demands for increased preparatory time.

THEY THREW UP small picket lines around the eight Briggs plants at 5:30 a. m. and the CIO-United Auto Workers at Briggs made no attempt to enter.

Ken Morris, president of UAW-CIO Local 212 at Briggs, urged a speedy end of the strike, which he blamed on the Taff-Hartley act.

He termed it "another example of the harm resulting from the Taff-Hartley act. The legislation took the plant guards out of the UAW-CIO and the law prevents our participating to aid in bringing an early settlement to this issue."

James C. McGahey, president of the plant guards union, said almost all contracts with other plants provide for from 15 minutes to a half hour of preparatory time.

THE UNION is now allowed five minutes of preparatory time in addition to the regular eight-hour shift, in common with other Briggs workers.

Negotiations over the issue broke up Tuesday night after being in progress since July 27.

A spokesman for the Briggs concern said that while it was true that some auto plants give their guards 15 minutes preparatory time, they require them to stand a roll-call and inspection before reporting for work.

"We let our men take their uniforms home if they want and they can dress there and we have no rollcall and no inspections," he said.

TITO RAPPED

MOSCOW, Sept. 8 (AP)—Pravda, official organ of the Communist party, charged today that Marshal Tito has joined the imperialists and is waging a terrorist campaign of "pressions, mass arrests and murders" against a majority of the Yugoslav party.

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But the United States, in a stiff note by Secretary of State Marshall, served notice on Russia that it will be up to Moscow to offer some new means of agreement or the problem will be handed over to the United Nations.

The Moscow radio said late today Russia proposes that the foreign ministers of the United States, Russia, Britain and France should meet in Paris, Friday, to discuss the matter.

But State department officials said they doubt whether Marshall or any of his top aides in Washington would be able to attend a session beginning then. As an alternative, they said a top U.S. diplomat abroad, perhaps Ambassador Lewis Douglas in London, might be delegated to represent this country.

BRITAIN HAS ALREADY accepted the Soviet bid to a four-nation parley—which would be the first in nine months—and France is expected to follow in line.

Secretary Marshall announced this country's acceptance, but the American note put it squarely up to Russia if any tangible results are to be obtained.

The U. S. note said flatly: "In view of the wide divergence of views expressed by the (four-power) deputy foreign ministers meeting here, it is the opinion that no useful purpose would be served unless the Soviet government has new proposals to make."

Marshall cited the fact that deputies of the United States, Russia, Britain and France have already talked at great length on the subject without reaching agreement.

Their year-long meetings, held in London, adjourned the past week.

The territory involved is Eritrea, Libya and Somaliland in Africa.

Spy Hunters Summon Scientist to Testify

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—Congressional spy hunters summoned today a St. Louis scientist who has said he was innocently involved with some Russians while working on a wartime atomic energy job.

He is Dr. Martin Kamen, now an associate chemistry professor at Washington university. He said the past week that he probably was one of two unnamed scientists whom house-committee members had said they wanted to question.

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MARSHALL ASKS FIRM STAND AGAINST REDS

Secretary Announces U. S. Will Resist Outbreaks in Berlin

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—Secretary of State Marshall today announced a policy of firm resistance to Communist disorders in Berlin and obliquely pointed a finger at Soviet agents.

Marshall told a news conference that the disorders have been touched off by Communists inside and outside of Germany.

The immediate objective, he said, is to disrupt the critical "four power" talks in Berlin which are currently seeking an end to interzone strife in the German capital.

Emphasizing that such tactics will be firmly resisted, Marshall withheld details of any counter measures. He declined to say whether military steps would be involved in efforts to quell the outbreaks.

Marshall's statement to newsmen came immediately after he had conferred with military chiefs at the Pentagon. It was understood he had received an up-to-the-minute report on the strength of American armed forces in and around the Soviet-blockaded capital.

QUESTIONED AT HIS news conference, Marshall said the outbreaks in Berlin, including kidnappings and mass attacks on the headquarters of the civilian city government, followed a familiar Communist pattern.

The procedure, he said, is pretty clear evidence of the usual methods exploited by Communists to upset orderly government and thus pave the way for a Red regime. He said it recalls similar Communist procedures elsewhere.

Asked by a reporter if he regards the disturbances as a purely German affair, Marshall replied, "no."

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Dewey to Open Campaign Swing In Iowa; May Discuss Agriculture

ALBANY, N. Y., Sept. 8 (AP)—Republican nominee Thomas E. Dewey will launch his presidential campaign with a major speech in Des Moines, Iowa, Sept. 20.

The New York governor's invasion of that politically important farm belt area will come two days after President Truman has spoken in the same state.

The Democratic standard bearer will make a farm policy address, Sept. 18, at Dexter, 40 miles west of Des Moines.

The subject of Dewey's speech was not announced, but friends believe he will touch on agriculture and other domestic issues as well as foreign policy.

After announcement of the Des Moines speaking engagement, Dewey had a lengthy discussion of campaign plans with Senator Kenneth S. Wherry of Nebraska, the acting Republican leader of the Senate.

At a news conference later, Wherry accused the Truman administration of "coddling Communists and fellow travelers in the government."

In response to a question, Wherry said he did not regard Mr. Truman as a fellow traveler. He added that he was talking about the men around the President.

Wherry also contended Mr. Truman was using "a technique of fear" in his campaign for election.

The senator said he had urged Dewey to speak in as many midwestern and far western states as possible. Dewey's 14-car campaign train will leave Albany for Des Moines the evening of Sept. 19.

The GOP candidate's Iowa speech will be broadcast nationwide over CBS and the Mutual networks from 10 to 10:30 p. m., Pottstown time.

Robert Mitchum Appears In California Court

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 8 (AP)—Film actor Robert Mitchum and three companions who were arrested in a narcotics squad raid the past Wednesday made a brief court appearance today.

The four, indicted yesterday on charges of possessing marijuana, appeared in Superior court for a writ of habeas corpus hearing.

However it was a mere formality as their demand to have charges presented had already been met by the county grand jury indictment.

The defendants, Mitchum, starlet Lila Leeds, dancer Vicki Evans and real estate man Robin Ford, are at liberty on bond of \$10,000 each.

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7:30	Musical Clock	News Weather	LaRoy Miller	Mac McGuire
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1:00	Melody Magic	Wendy Warren	Wendy Warren	Kate Smith
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EVENING

Hour	KYW NBC 1060 K	WCAR CBS 1210 K	WFIL ABC 560 K	WIP MBS 610 K
6:30	News: Sports	Speak Freely	Speak Freely	Speak Freely
7:00	Three Star Extra	Speak Freely	Speak Freely	Speak Freely
7:30	Supper Club	Speak Freely	Speak Freely	Speak Freely
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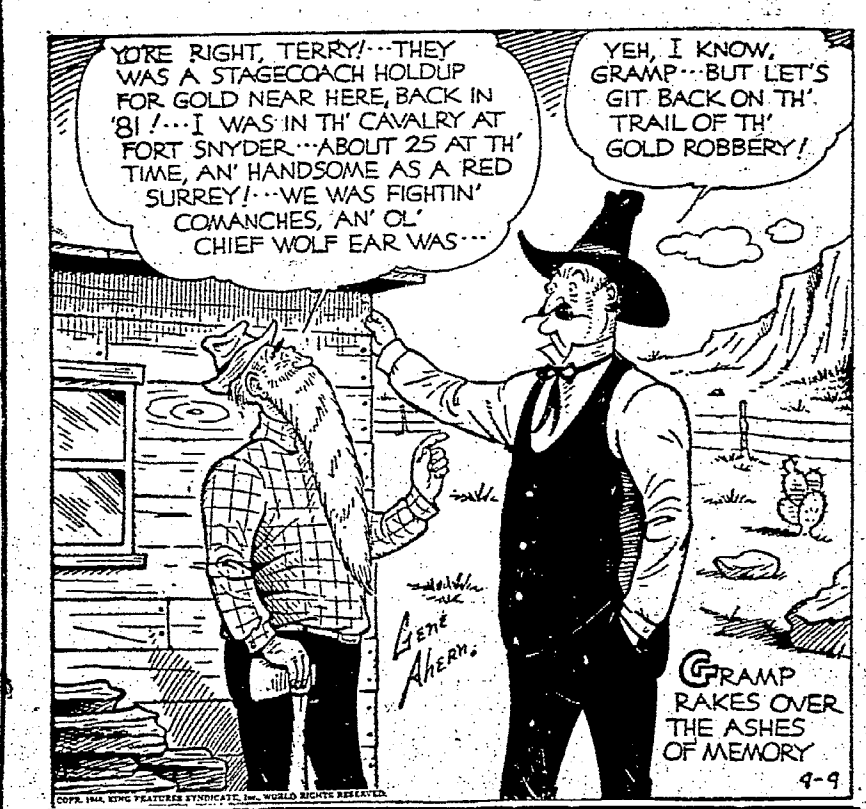
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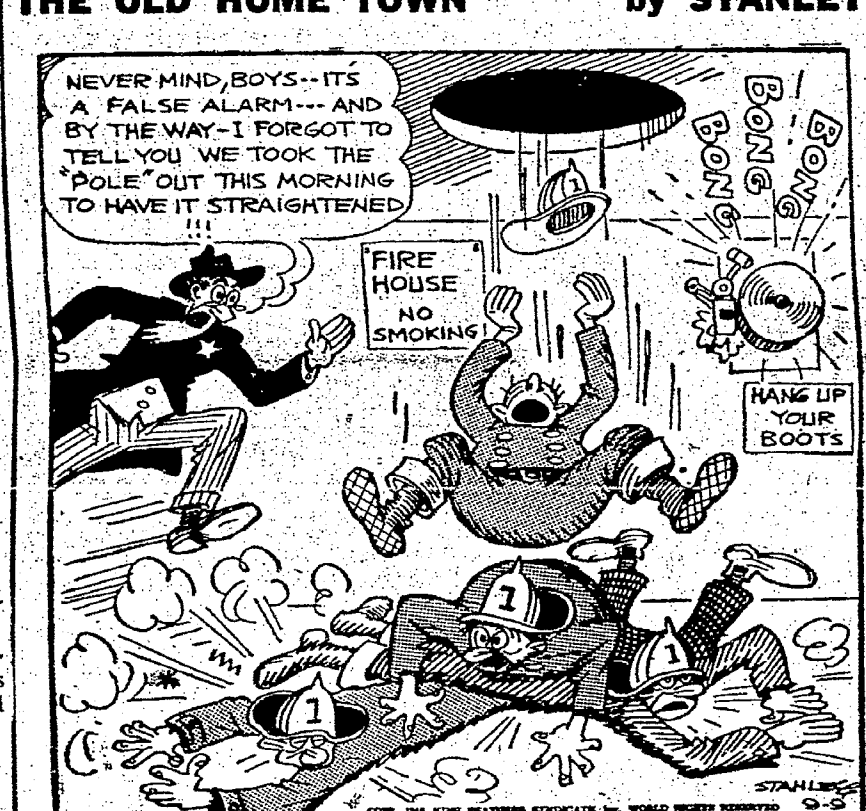
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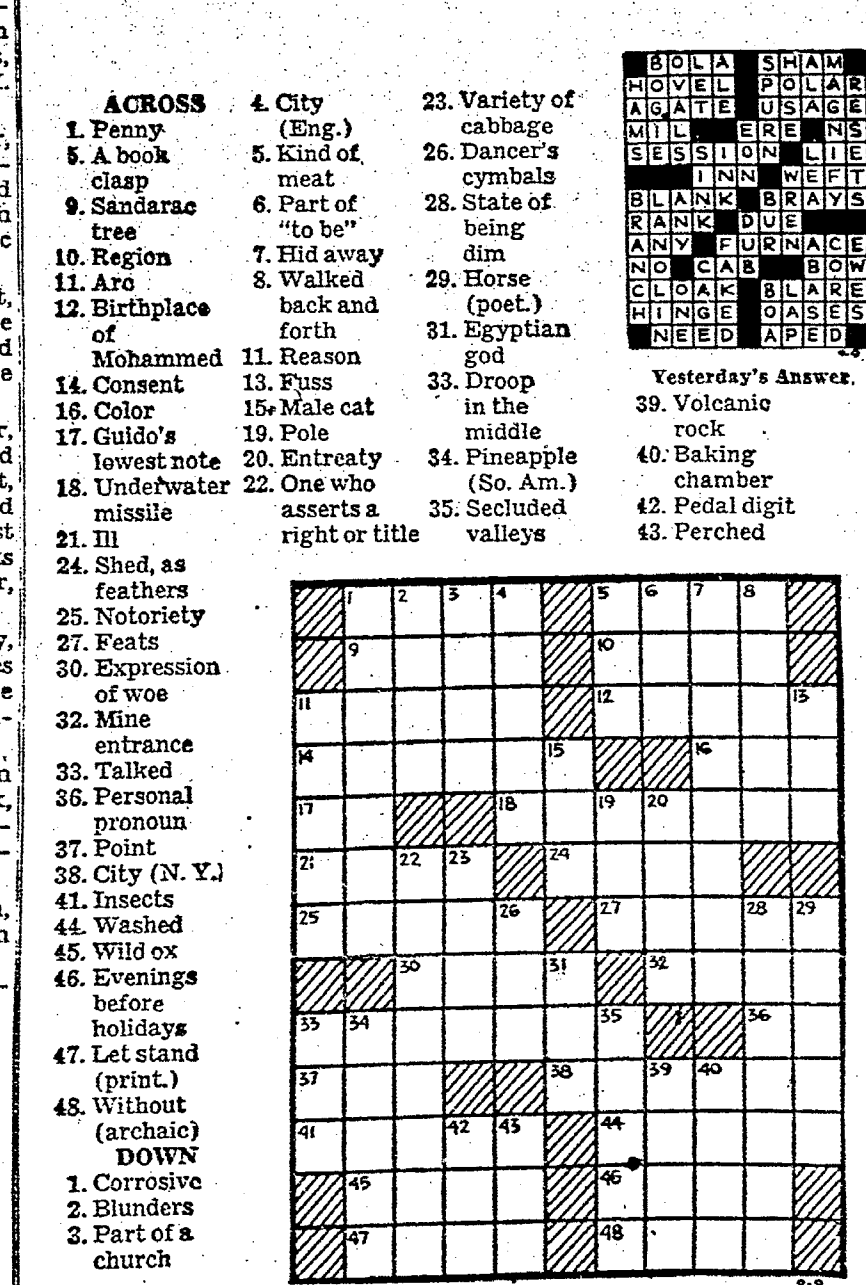


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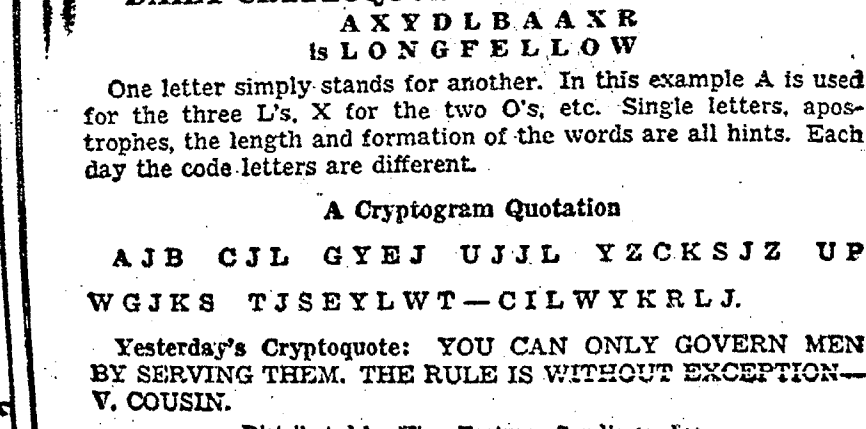
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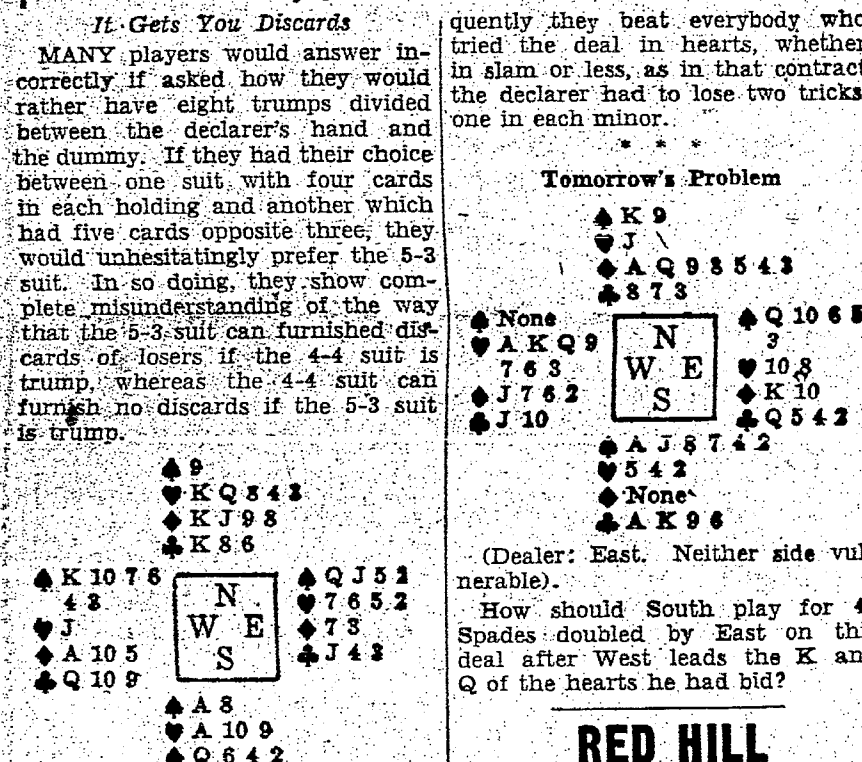


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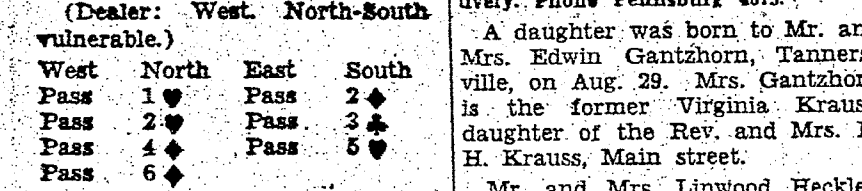


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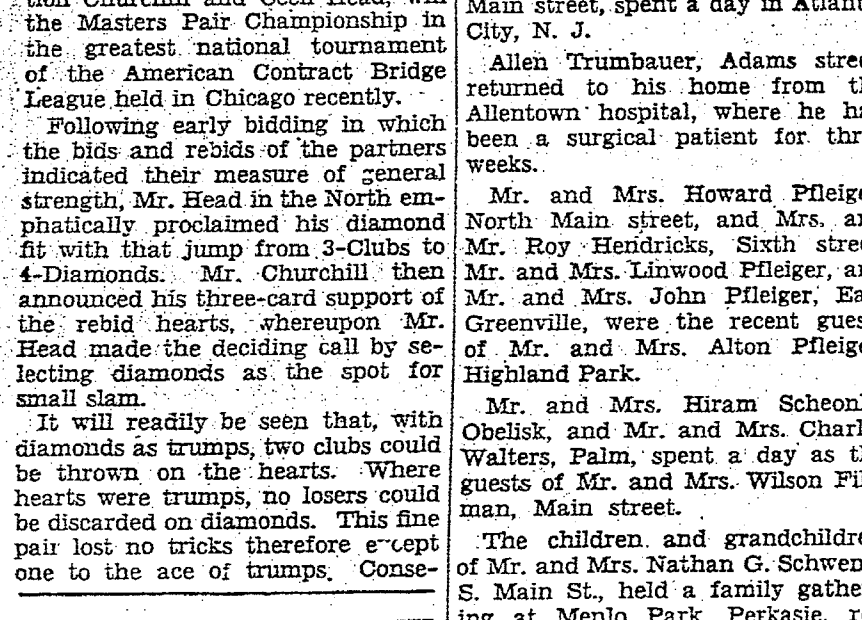


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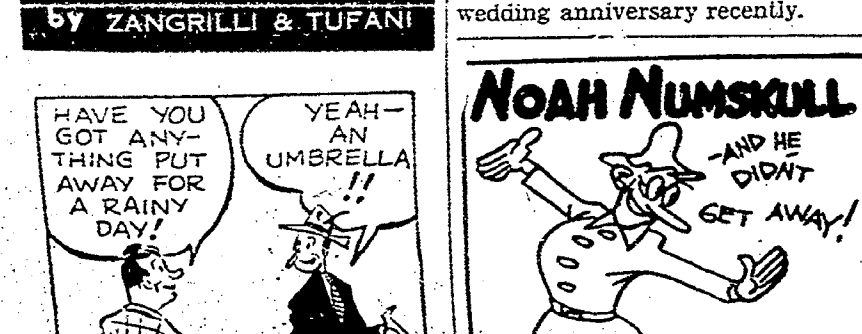
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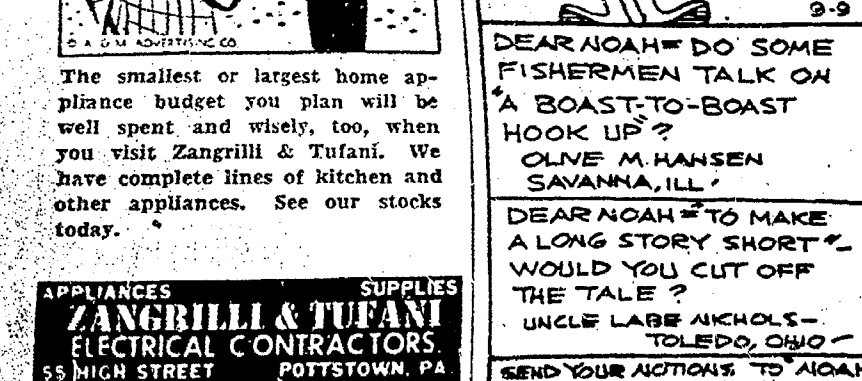
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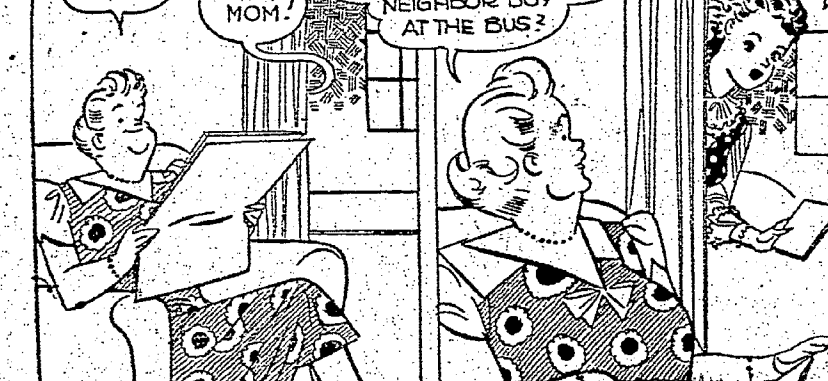
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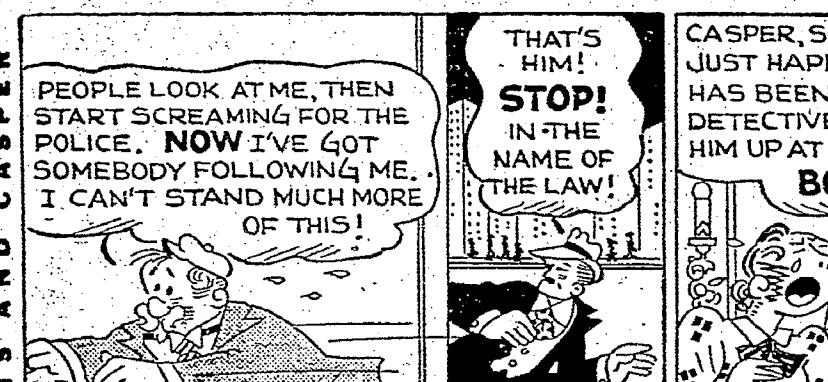
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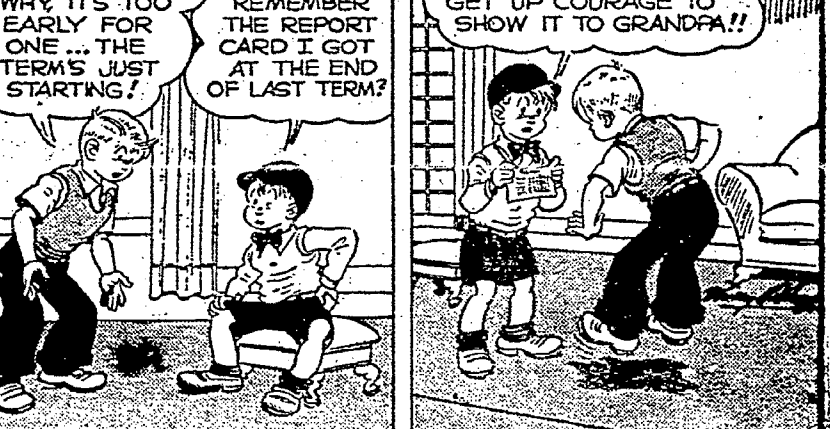
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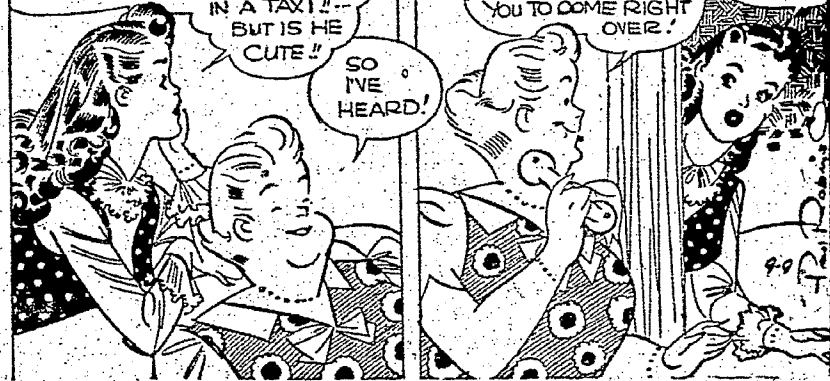
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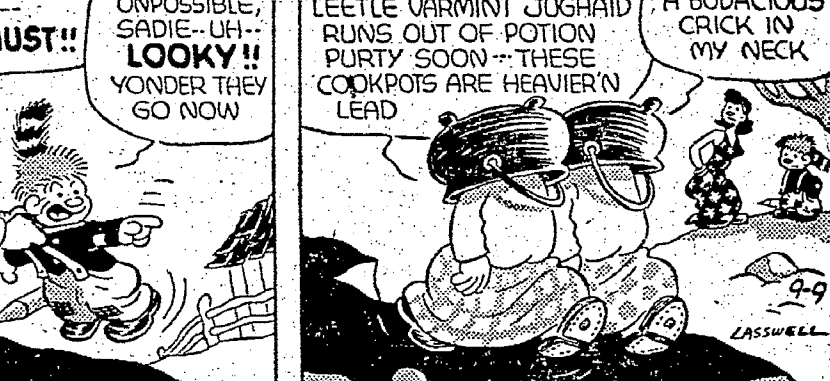
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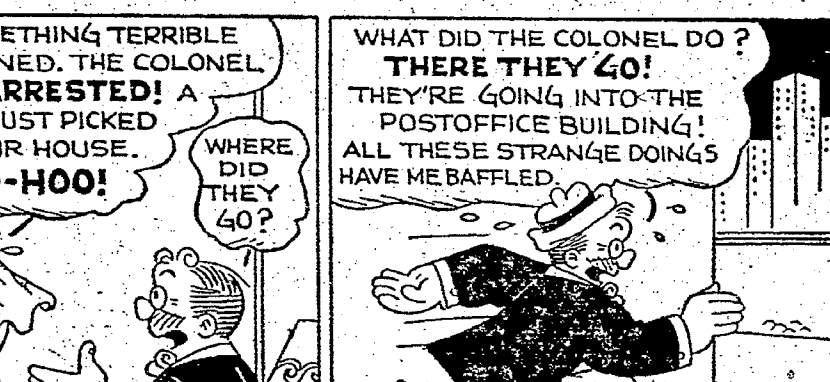
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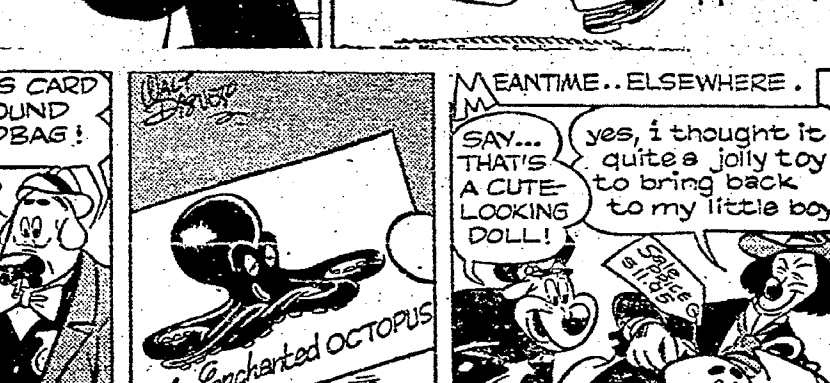
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1059 Students Enrol In Local Schools; Great Many Rural

One thousand fifty-nine students, 415 of them rural, began their school term yesterday morning. High school had a full half day when they followed an abbreviated Wednesday schedule after an assembly period at which Supervising Principal George B. Swinehart presided.

The attendance yesterday was the second highest in the history of the high school. Twenty-five more pupils were enrolled than had been anticipated.

This morning all the Boyertown schools will begin their full-time schedule. Francis Sell called a cross country practice last night while Coach Robert Fleming has already had several football sessions.

THE REV. W. F. BOWERS will teach English in the Junior High school as a substitute for Annabelle Quigley. Miss Quigley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Quigley, Bally, will complete her studies in January at State Teachers college, Kutztown.

In the Lincoln School Mrs. Naomi Wolfgang is on a leave of absence. Mrs. William Hollenbach, Boyertown, is the new clothing teacher. The following is the number of pupils in the various grades: Washington school, grade one, 37; grade two, 31; grade three, 30; grade four, 35; grade five, 30; grade six, 27; a total of 222, 15 of whom are non-resident.

Lincoln school, grade one, 31; grade two, 34; grade three, 31; grade four, 34; grade five, 32; grade six, 25; a total of 208, 31 of which are non-resident.

There are 32 pupils in the Washington school kindergarten, 3 of which are non-resident, and 21 pupils in the Lincoln school kindergarten, with only 1 non-resident pupil.

Junior high school: grade seven, 84; 34 of whom are non-resident; grade eight, 59, 20 of whom are non-resident; grade nine, 155, 115 of whom are non-resident; or a total of 298 pupils of whom 169 are non-resident.

Senior high school: grade ten, 128, 83 of which are non-resident; grade eleven, 111, 68 of which are non-resident; grade twelve, 92, of whom 49 are non-resident, or a total of 331 pupils with 200 non-resident.

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Babb-Rothenberger Fete Held Sunday

Miss Verna C. Babb, daughter of Mrs. Helen Babb, and Mr. Harold B. Rothenberger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rothenberger, New Berlinville, were united in marriage on Saturday afternoon in a double ring ceremony at Jarrettsville, Maryland.

A reception for the newlyweds was held on Sunday at Yeger's bungalow, Pleasant Valley. The table was graced with a four-tier wedding cake.

Guests attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rhoads and sons, William David and Jack, Maryland; Mr. and Mrs. James Eshbach, Mr. and Mrs. George Rothenberger and children, Minerva and Gladys; Mr. and Mrs. Willard Eshbach, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Herbst and son, Ronald, Bechtelsville; Mr. and Mrs. Albert Beahn and children, Mary, Miriam and David, West Lawn; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hartman and children, Curtis and Sherwood and Betty; Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hartman and son, Ronald, Boyertown, R. D.; Mr. and Mrs. George Diehn, Pottstown; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rothenberger and children Jane and Richard; Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Rothenberger, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Heydt and daughter, Shirley; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Eshbach and daughter, Linda; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Babb and son, John; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Mutter and sons, Richard and Warren, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Gift, Mr. and Mrs. Al Taylor and sons, Jay and Danny; Mrs. Helen Babb and children, Curtis, Paul and Jane; Mrs. Elizabeth Giles, Mrs. Mary Houck, Mr. Elwood Johnson and son Marvin; Mrs. Lucy Rush, Mr. Carl Gift, Miss Virginia Mac Donald, Mr. Paul Hutt, Miss Mae Nester, Mr. Robert Nester, Mr. William Nester, Mr. Charles Moyer, Mrs. Helen Krause, Mr. Royden Hartman, Miss Lillian Westler, Mr. Norman Hartman, Mr. Harold Reigner, Miss Kathryn Rauts, Mr. Warren Stauffer, Miss Betty Grofe, Mr. George Eshbach, Miss Betty Dierolf, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rothenberger.

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DEATHS—FUNERALS
Funeral services for PFC. WILLIAM H. MOYER, son of Cyrus R. and Lillie (Wolfgang) Moyer will be held from the home of the parents, near SHANESVILLE, BOYERTOWN, RD 1, on Saturday at 1:30 p. m.

Further services will be held at St. Joseph's Hill Lutheran Church where the Rev. Luther Lee Lengel, pastor, will officiate. Interment will be made in Hill Church Cemetery. The bearers will be ex-servicemen from the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars.

The body will arrive by government hearse on Friday afternoon.

Richard Landis Defeats Schanely in Nel Finals

In the finals of the Boyertown Junior Tennis Tournament held last evening Richard Landis defeated Sammy Schanely 7-5, 7-5 to become the Junior tennis champion of Boyertown.

The match was played hard by both boys and Landis' steady game finally won out.

Mark Campbell donor of the tennis racquet presented it to Richard Landis.

GRAIN HANDLERS STRIKE
MINNEAPOLIS, Sept. 8 (AP) — An estimated 1600 grain handlers went on strike today at eleven Minneapolis and St. Paul flour mills to back up demands for higher wages.

Boyertown Classified
Deaths 1

FOX—In Boyertown, on Monday, Sept. 8, 1948 John Andrew M. Fox, husband of Ida H. (Selzer) Fox, age 65 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from Linwood W. Ott Funeral Home, Warwick St., Boyertown, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment in Fairview cemetery, Boyertown. Friends may call Wednesday evening 7 to 9 p. m. (Ott)

MOYER—Died in service, on August 8, 1944. P.F.C. William H. Moyer, age 26 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the services from the residence of the parents Cyrus R. and Lillie (Wolfgang) Moyer near Shanesville, on Saturday at 1:30 p. m. Further services in St. Joseph's Hill Lutheran church. Interment in Hill Church cemetery. Friends may call Friday evening 7 to 9. (Schwenk) ning 7 to 9.

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Bechtelsville Clam Bake Held at Hoffman Home

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Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hoffman and sons, Wilson and Ray; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hoffman and daughters, Janet and Ellen; Mr. and Mrs. John Klein; Joan, Carl and Clark Erb; Mr. and Mrs. Nevin Herbert; Mrs. Lillie Benfield; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Conrad; George, Rose Marie and Shirley Conrad; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Reichert; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Renninger; Patsy and Carol Renninger; Earl Hoffman, Pearl Dotterer, Stanley Hoffman, Elmer Conrad, Russell Conrad, Miriam Moser, Paul Gehman, Shirley Nester, LeRoy Erb, Ralph Loeb, Harold Shanely, Thomas Jordan, Albert Weinstein, Donald Trethewey, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hoffman.

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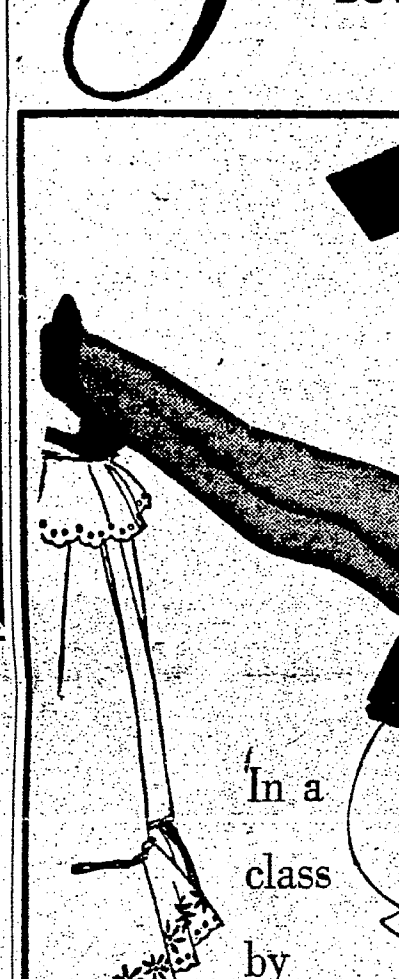
Chief of Police Henry E. Groff presented the following police report of activities during August to the burgess, James A. Fritz and borough council at their monthly meeting on Tuesday night.

Auto accidents, 3, involving 6 cars; calls for police, 110; complaints received, 4; funerals and other escorts, 25; investigations, 7; burglary, 1; disorderly conduct, 1; mileage on police car, 1368 miles; from 8684 to 10,049 on speedometer. Motor violations, 19; parking, 14; too fast for conditions, 2; ignoring stop sign, 1; failure to carry reg. card, 1; ignoring red light, 1. Other activities: September 3, 1948 "No Parking 6 a. m. to 6 p. m."



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Man Wounds Wife, Then Takes Own Life

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8 (AP)—Police said a 28-year-old man shot and killed himself in South Philadelphia today after wounding his 25-year-old divorced wife with a bullet from a revolver.

They identified the victim as Joseph Christy. His wife, Constance, was taken to graduate hospital with a shoulder wound.

Police said the shooting occurred in the home of Mrs. Christy's sister, Mrs. Elga Crisa. Christy, they

signs erected on South Franklin street. "No Parking at Any Time" signs erected on East Fifth street; "Stop Thru Traffic" signs erected in alley in rear of Dan Trout's store.

added, walked into the house, Christy, according to police, then whipped a revolver from his pocket, ran into another room and shot and fired once at Mrs. Christy, himself.



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Louise Brough Is Favored To Win Fifth Tennis Crown

NEW YORK, Sept. 8 (AP)—Louise Brough, the husky Beverly Hills, Calif., girl who took charge of American women's tennis when Pauline Betz turned pro, will have the champion's privilege of opening the National Singles Tennis championship at Forest Hills Friday.

The defending women's champion, Miss Brough will play the opening match on the stadium courts against Charlotte B. Decker of Washington, D. C., Friday. Probably she will finish about 45 minutes later and turn over the center courts for a series of men's matches that promise to be far more interesting than the usual run of first day clashes.

In addition to winning the United States women's title the past year, Miss Brough won the Wimbledon women's singles crown in the Spring and helped to win both the women's doubles and mixed doubles there. In August she and Mrs. Margaret Osborne DuPont of Wilmington, Del., teamed to win the United States women's doubles title and Louise stands a good chance of completing a clean sweep of all the available championships.

THE MIXED DOUBLES will be played at Forest Hills along with the men's and women's and veterans' singles tournaments.

Following Miss Brough's appearance, the stadium courts will be the scene of encounters between Earl Cochell and Eddie Moylan, both of San Francisco, Tom Brown Jr. of San Francisco and Jim Brink of Seattle and Tony Mottram of England and Budge Patty of Los Angeles.

Cochell is the only seeded player in this group, being ranked fifth, but all three matches promise close and interesting competition. Until he performed listlessly on a tour of Australia the past Winter, Moylan was receiving serious consideration as Davis Cup material. He has been good for at least one match upset a year for the past two seasons.

THE HIGHEST RANKED player to take part in the opening day's men's singles program is second-seeded Bill Talbert of New York. He will meet Barney Welsh of Rockville, Md., on the grandstand courts.

Wednesday Program Dropped at Sanaloga

Karl Spatz, director of the Sanaloga speedway, announced last night that Wednesday night racing programs will be dropped at the local speed plant.

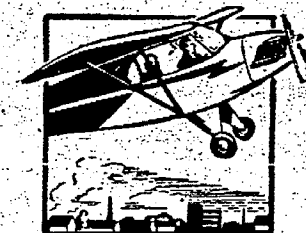
Spatz said the crowds on Wednesday nights haven't been too good because of the fact that Offenhausen cars only run here Sunday nights. For the past few weeks, Wednesday night programs have been for Ford cars only.

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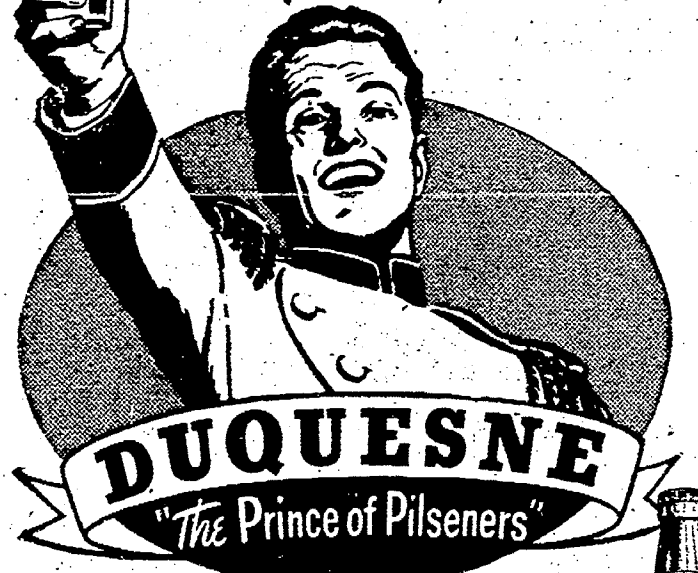
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FORMER CHAMP COMES TO U. S. TO SEE FIGHT

Frenchman to Watch Cerdan Battle Zale For Middleweight Title

NEW YORK, Sept. 8 (AP)—Georges Carpentier, former light-heavyweight champion who fought Jack Dempsey for the world heavyweight title 27 years ago, arrived from France today to see his countryman, Marcel Cerdan, fight Tony Zale for the middleweight crown Sept. 21.

Carpentier supposedly will help train Cerdan in his preparations for the title bout at Jersey City. He indicated, however, that his "coaching" will be confined largely to appearances designed to help ticket sales. He will visit Cerdan's training camp at Loch Sheldrake, N. Y., for the first time on Friday.

The French "Orchid Man" said he knew Cerdan well and that he believed Cerdan capable of winning the title. "He has the style—a combination of boxing and punching," Carpentier explained. "I never have seen Zale. But Cerdan is a better boxer and harder puncher than Marcel Thil." Thil was the generally recognized middleweight titleholder 16 years ago.

Carpentier, tired from the airplane trip from Paris and two sleepless nights, said that he weighed 168 pounds—exactly what he weighed when he fought Dempsey in 1921. At that time his weight was announced as 172 pounds but Georges insisted he was lighter.

Although he has visited America many times, Carpentier found one change that interested him in a business sense.

"The last time I was here I left two days before prohibition was repealed," he explained. "I never saw America wet before." Carpentier is the owner of restaurants in Paris and Biarritz.

Princeton defeated both Harvard and Yale the past season for the first time since 1939 and the tenth in history—but the Tigers have never before been able to turn the trick in two successive seasons.

Eight More Grid Candidates Boost Pottstown Squad to 55 Players

Eight more candidates for the Pottstown High football team reported to Coach Heeb Meyers yesterday and the Trojan mentor wasted little time in putting out the welcome mat.

The eight boys boosted the Trojan grid squad to 55 boys and most of the players are experienced. Among yesterday's newcomers were Jack Nash and Carl Bodolus, both experienced players.

Bodolus caught the coaches' eyes the past year as a junior varsity player and is expected to fit well into Meyers' plans this fall. He can play guard or tackle. Nash, a big six-footer, played for the Golden

Cubs of Pottstown Junior High a year ago and gives Meyers more strength in the line. Nash is a tackle with some experience as a back.

Yesterday Meyers took most of the experienced players and spent most of the time stressing defense. He finished the afternoon with a dummy scrimmage. Coaches Bill McCabe and Morrie Grigg spent the afternoon breaking in the newcomers.

The Trojans have about two and a half weeks training remaining before they open the 1948 season with Upper Merion High here Sept. 24 under the arc lights at Franklin Field.

Algasir Cops Cowdin Stakes At Aqueduct

NEW YORK, Sept. 8 (AP)—Algasir, handsome bay gelding who many think is the class of the current two-year-old crop, easily captured the \$29,800 Cowdin Stakes today at Aqueduct.

Showing 16,879 turf patrons that his owner, Mrs. F. Ambrose Clark of Westbury, N. Y., made no mistake when she paid \$106,000 for the animal recently, Algasir fairly romped the six and one half furlongs to win well in hand.

This was his second race in the blue and canary silks of Mrs. Clark, and the \$20,750 he collected this afternoon boosted to \$29,525 the money he already has returned on his purchase price—a record paid for a gelding.

Olympia, Fred W. Hooper's juvenile hopeful, stayed with Algasir and Jockey Ted Atkinson until they swung into the turn for home, then the gelding began moving away to open a two-length margin as they hit the finish.

Insurance Plan For Fighters Starts Today

PHILADELPHIA, Sept. 8 (AP)—The Pennsylvania State Athletic commission's insurance program for fighters went into effect today.

Under the plan outlined by Commission Chairman Leon Rains, any fighter appearing in a Pennsylvania ring will be covered by insurance regardless of where he comes from.

The program provides for six weeks of hospitalization, surgical treatment up to \$250 and a \$500 death benefit.

The money to finance the program will be provided by taking 35 cents from every boxer's purse. Each fighter will be issued an insurance certificate.

The commission will finance the plan at the start through payment of \$1000. It will receive a rebate at the end of each six months if the amount is not used. The commission also will make up any amount necessary in excess of the fund collected by the 35-cent assessments.

Yale coach Herman Hickman is football's heaviest head coach—307 pounds.

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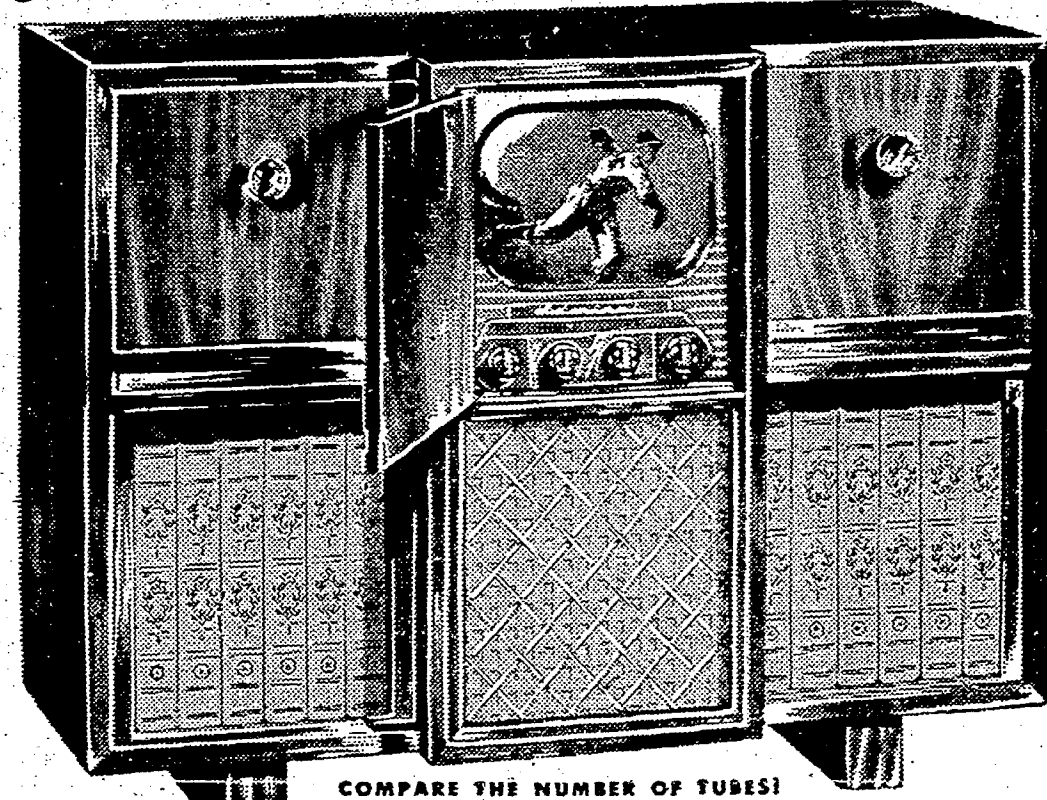
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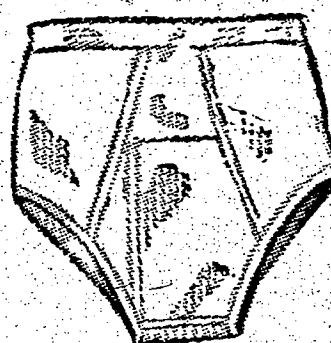


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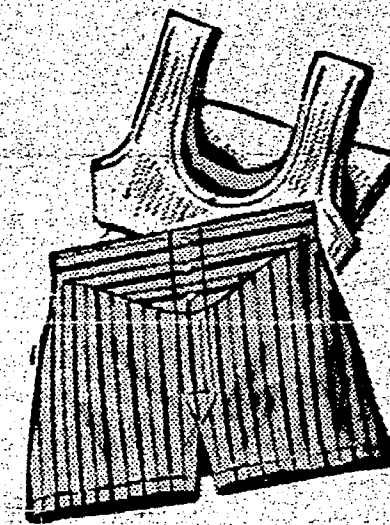


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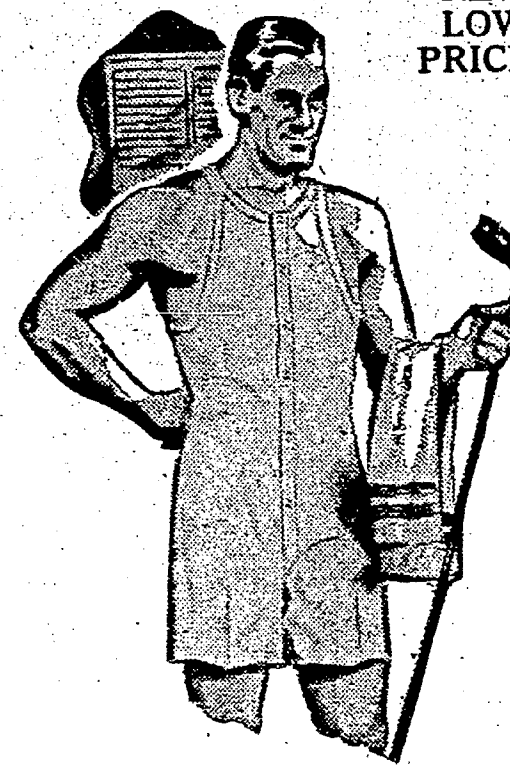
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Royersford Councilmen Meet and Discuss Purchase of New \$650,000 Disposal Plant

Arrangements for a meeting to discuss construction of a new second-class sewage disposal plant at an estimated cost of \$650,000 have been completed by borough officials and a joint session with officials of other boroughs facing the same issue will take place on Oct. 28.

On that date Royersford will be host to a regular meeting of Montgomery County Association of Boroughs at a dinner-meeting at Spring-Ford Country Club. Royersford, along with several or eight other municipalities have been given orders by the State to complete the program by 1950. County officials and manufacturers concerned have been invited as guests to aid in tackling the problem.

Arrangements for this meeting were made near the close of the monthly meeting of Royersford borough council Tuesday night.

During the meeting, Councilman John Freed asked for action to prevent dogs running at large on borough streets and private properties by the enforcement of existing ordinances.

Burgess Ralph H. Landes said it is impossible, in his opinion, to enforce the dog law without a dog catcher. He added that efforts are being made to obtain a dog catcher in conjunction with Spring City and Pottstown. Freed promised to press for additional action at the next meeting.

REPORT OF Police Chief Bryson M. Turner was presented by Freed, chairman of the police committee. According to the report, total mileage was 1,000.

Twin-Boro Classified

Deaths
MAJOR—On Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1948, Dorothy B., daughter of Sarah B. and the late Llewellyn Major. Relatives and friends are invited to the service at the funeral home, Royersford, on Friday at 2 p. m. Interment at St. James cemetery, Limerick. Friends may call at the funeral home on Thursday evening.

Deaths
SMITH—In Phoenixville hospital, on Tuesday, Sept. 7, 1948, Kate Smith, widow of George Smith, 83 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service at the funeral home, Royersford, on Friday at 2 p. m. Interment at St. James cemetery, Limerick. Friends may call at the funeral home on Thursday evening.

MINGIE—In Spring City, on Monday, Sept. 6, 1948, Hannah Mary Mingie, aged 87 years. Relatives and friends are invited to the service at the funeral home, Royersford, on Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment at St. James cemetery, Limerick. Friends may call at the funeral home on Wednesday evening.

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LANCASTER, Sept. 8.—Cattle 904, receipts moderate, market firm, prices steady. Calves 224, supply light. Market steady on all grades. Hogs 234, run extremely light, good demand on all weights and sizes, prices steady at \$20 to \$20.50 for heavyweights, sheep 182, supply light, market steady.

HATFIELD LIVESOCK
HATFIELD, Sept. 8.—Six hundred short head of stock were sold at the Hatfield livestock market this week. Prices range per hundredweight were: cows, \$14 to \$24; calves, \$15 to \$27; hogs, \$22 to \$26; sheep, \$20 to \$25; steers, \$22 to \$25; hogs, \$19 to \$22; sheep and lambs, \$8 to \$22.50.

Dumping Restriction, Complaints Occupy Spring City Council

Burgess Benjamin Bertolet, recommended Tuesday night that a resolution be passed by Spring City council prohibiting the dumping of garbage on the Cedar street dump by all persons, and that all non-residents be prohibited from dumping there. Council passed on this recommendation and will prosecute all violators.

Burgess Bertolet requested that the electric company be asked to clean the globes of the lights on Main street.

Samuel Stephens was present and explained that the petition opposing the parking meters presented at last month's meeting contained the names of non-residents because they were shoppers in the borough.

It was announced that the construction of the blacktop road on Main Street between New and Chestnut will start the 27th of September. The gas company is now in the process of filling in the trenches with an eight-inch concrete base.

Council after considerable discussion decided that \$1000 would be asked of the electric company for the right-of-way requested over borough ground at the sewer plant.

THE POLICE COMMITTEE met with the burgess, Officer Setzler and the complainant, Ralph Yeager, of North Main street since last meeting, and reported that they had come to a satisfactory agreement and that Yeager had no case against the officer.

The ordinance committee was granted permission to frame an ordinance relating to parking on Main street and present it at the October meeting.

An ordinance was passed handing over the authority for the issuance of permits covering state highways within the borough limits and delegating the authority to prosecute any violators.

COMPLAINTS WERE acted upon by ordering Daniel Mosteller to cut the weeds on his property at Church and Poplar streets as constituting a hazardous condition to traffic. A complaint from residents of Ridge avenue stated that it was very dark between Glass alley and Cedar street. The light committee was authorized to look into this matter, as well as Penn street between New and Broad.

Permits were issued to the Schuylkill Valley Mills to build an addition between, a sub-station on the north end, and a penthouse on the southeast end of their buildings. Mowrey-Lashaw Hardware was issued a permit to take the top off a building in the rear and make it a one-story structure. Spring City Driving association was permitted to erect a banner over the corner of Bridge and Main. Permits were also issued to Mrs. Marnie Mosteller, Main street, for the rebuilding of a frame kitchen and a stairway for the apartment. Alterations on the Dobbs property at Poplar and Main were allowed provided sewer connections are made.

The health officer reported one case of German measles and one case of whooping cough quarantined. Tax Collector S. N. Mowrey reported turning over \$12,115.13 to the borough treasurer. The treasurer reported balances in the funds to be as follows: general—\$12,115.13; highway improvement—\$1681.24; bond sinking—\$8769.08; liberty fire fund—\$860.48; sewer bond fund—\$2719.73; street light—\$2939.10; motor equipment—\$1719.16; police pension—\$255.08; state gas tax fund—\$272.64; sewer operating—\$303.36. Bills were read and ordered paid amounting to \$228.57 for the sewer and \$2635.80 on the general fund.

Miss Major was a member of St. James Evangelical Reformed church, Limerick. Survivors besides her mother are a brother, Lawrence Major, and a sister, Ruth, wife of William Mogel, both of Royersford RD 1.

Funeral services will be conducted in a funeral home at 600 Washington street, Royersford, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in St. James cemetery, Limerick.

Funeral services for MRS. HANNAH GRIFITH, EAST VINCEN TOWNSHIP, widow of William R. Griffith, were conducted in a funeral home at 331 New street, Spring City, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock by the Rev. Charles F. Salkeld, pastor of Spring City Methodist church. Interment was made in Zion's cemetery. Bearers were Clyde Wismer, Charles Bach, Thomas Clark, George T. John, Tudor and Nicholas Thum.

Odd Fellows to Discuss New Members Tonight

Vincent lodge IOOF, Spring City, will meet tonight at 8 o'clock in Odd Fellows temple. The business will include applications for membership. A class of candidates non-residents will receive the degrees during October.

Plans will also be made tonight for attending a regular meeting of the Past Grand association of southeastern Pennsylvania, to be held at Chester.

Hospital Notes

John J. Jeffers, 220 Bridge street, Spring City, was admitted to Phoenixville hospital.

LEGION TO INSTALL OFFICERS

Installation of officers will provide the highlight of a monthly meeting of the Pottstown American Legion post, Pottstown, tonight at 8 o'clock, in the post house.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Deaths

BYERS—In Birchville, on Wednesday, Sept. 8, 1948, Joseph E. Byers, aged 55 years. Relatives and friends are invited to call at the Nelson Funeral Home, 331 New St., Spring City, Friday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. Funeral services at 8 o'clock. Interment at the Sellers Funeral Home, Chambersburg, Pa. on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Interment at Norland cemetery, Chambersburg.

LEWIS—In Honey Brook, on Saturday, Sept. 4, 1948, The Rev. Willis A. Lewis, D.D., aged 79 years. Services from Delbert Funeral Home, Elverson, Thursday, 12-30 p. m. Interment at West Laurel Hill cemetery, Phila. Friends may call Wednesday evening. (Delbert)

MAYER—On Monday, Sept. 6, 1948, Mrs. Mary Mayer, aged 70 years. Relatives and friends are invited to call at the Sellers Funeral Home, 331 New St., Spring City, Thursday at 2 p. m. Interment at Edgewood cemetery. Friends may call Wednesday evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. (Schumacher)

TRIVEL—On Sunday, Sept. 5, 1948, Calvin, husband of the late Rosa (nee Smith) Trivel, aged 82 years. The relatives and friends are invited to the services from the late home in Pottsville, Pa. on Friday, Sept. 10, 1948, at 2 o'clock p. m. Interment at Pottsville East End cemetery. Friends may call Thursday evening at his home from 7 to 9 o'clock. (Houck)

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Banks Are Ordered To Increase Reserve As Inflation Curb

WASHINGTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—In a new move to combat inflation by making borrowing more difficult, the Federal Reserve board today ordered its member banks to increase their reserves by nearly \$2,000,000,000.

This is one of a series of steps to curb credit. It was taken on the theory that people buying things with borrowed money tend to run prices up.

The hope is that the more reserves banks are required to maintain, the less they will lend.

Banks were ordered to put aside an additional two percent of money deposited with them in checking accounts and one-and-a-half percent of their time deposits. The requirements will be effective, Sept. 16, in some cases, and Sept. 24, in others.

THE EFFECT WILL be to force banks to hand over to the Federal reserve an estimated \$1,900,000,000 that otherwise could be used for making loans. Theoretically, that much in bank assets could serve as the basis for a potential \$12,000,000,000 increase in loan totals since it is figured banks can lend as much as \$6 on each \$1 they hold.

Federal reserve officials, however, expect banks for the most part to raise the extra reserves by selling their holdings of government bonds.

The Federal reserve system itself is committed to buy all government bonds offered at their face value or higher. This is to keep prices of the bonds at par so the government will not have to pay more than two and one half percent—the current rate—in interest on its borrowing.

The reserve increase ordered by the board is only half as much as was authorized by the recent special session of Congress as a means of combating inflation by putting a damper on bank lending.

Nevertheless, the importance of this loan-tightening action was rated so high by the board that it withheld its announcement until stock exchanges had closed across the country from the east to the west coasts.

Boy Scouts to Apply For Life Rank Tonight

Several applicants for the rank of Life Scout will appear tonight before the Boy Scout Court of Honor, meeting in borough hall at 7:30 o'clock.

The number of applicants for the rank is uncertain, since they may appear tonight or next month for review or application.

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Baby Takes a Tumble

Baby May, 21-year-old youngster at San Francisco's Fleischbaker Zoo, became too greedy while reaching for peanuts and tumbled into the moat surrounding the elephant pen. May is getting lots of sympathy from the older heads but very little help. Preliminary examination showed no injuries to May as result of the fall.

New Psychological Test Introduced To Help Negroes Improve Relationships

BOSTON, Sept. 8 (AP)—The first psychological test designed to help Negroes to get along better with whites was reported to the American Psychological association today.

The specific object is to help those Negroes who go to work with whites in situations where race prejudice exists, or where their relations with whites call for diplomacy.

The test was reported by Charles F. Thompson, of Tulane university. It arose from his experience with Negro veterans in New Orleans, when he tried to use the regular psychological tests given to white people to learn such things as how a man or woman will get along with fellow workers, and how to make allies.

The white psychological test revealed that Negroes are apt to think of whites as aliens. It is the same thing as the old saying, "all Chinamen look alike." Whites have been found by psychologists who think nearly all Negroes look alike.

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OBITUARIES

JOSEPH E. BYERS, 55, storekeeper at Valley Forge General hospital, died unexpectedly at his home, BIRCHRUNVILLE, yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock. He was taken ill yesterday morning.

A resident of Birchrunville and vicinity since 1923, he formerly lived at Fayetteville, where he was born. He later resided at Chambersburg, where he was employed as a mechanical draftsman by Pennsylvania Railroad company, until he came to Birchrunville. He operated a farm until he accepted the position at the government hospital.

He was a veteran of World War I, during which he served 22 months overseas with the 19th Engineers. He was a member of Post 482, American Legion, Phoenixville, and the Methodist church, Fayetteville.

Surviving are his wife, Marion (Garns) Byers; a son, Martin; two foster-daughters, Mrs. S. W. Cloud, Chester Springs, and Florence Wilson, at home, and two brothers, Clyde Byers, Chester Springs, and H. McNeal Byers, Chambersburg.

Funeral services will be held from a funeral home at 331 New street, Spring City, tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock, with further services Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock in a Chambersburg funeral home, and interment in Norland cemetery, Chambersburg.

Services for THEODORE R. HANDWORK, of ELVERSON, were held from a funeral home on Main street, Elverson, at 2 o'clock yesterday.

Officiating were the Rev. Dr. A. B. Davidson, pastor of the Elverson Methodist church; the Rev. Robert Ranck, pastor of the Elverson United Brethren church, and Christian Kurtz, of the Rock Mennonite church.

Bearers, all members of Carnarvon Lodge 557, IOOF, of Morgantown, were James Roberts, Clyde Buchanan, Earl Witwer, Harry Rothas, Elmer Witman and Walter Witman.

Graveside services were led by A. Earl Plank, secretary of Carnarvon lodge.

Interment was in the Elverson Methodist cemetery.

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Boy, 9, Walks to School After 6 Years With Polio

POTTSTOWN, Sept. 8 (AP)—Today was the opening of school for most kids but for nine-year-old Joseph Konkus of nearby Duncott it was the opening of a new life.

Young Joe was stricken with a severe case of infantile paralysis six years ago. Unable to move a muscle, he was taken to the Home of Our Merciful Saviour in Philadelphia. After what seemed like a lifetime of treatment, the boy was brought home last month, able to walk with the aid of braces.

The whole neighborhood stood and watched today as Joe—flanked by his brother and sister—walked to school.

The blonde, curly-headed youngster was greeted by teacher Teresa Butler. She patted him on the head and they went into the classroom, both beaming.

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